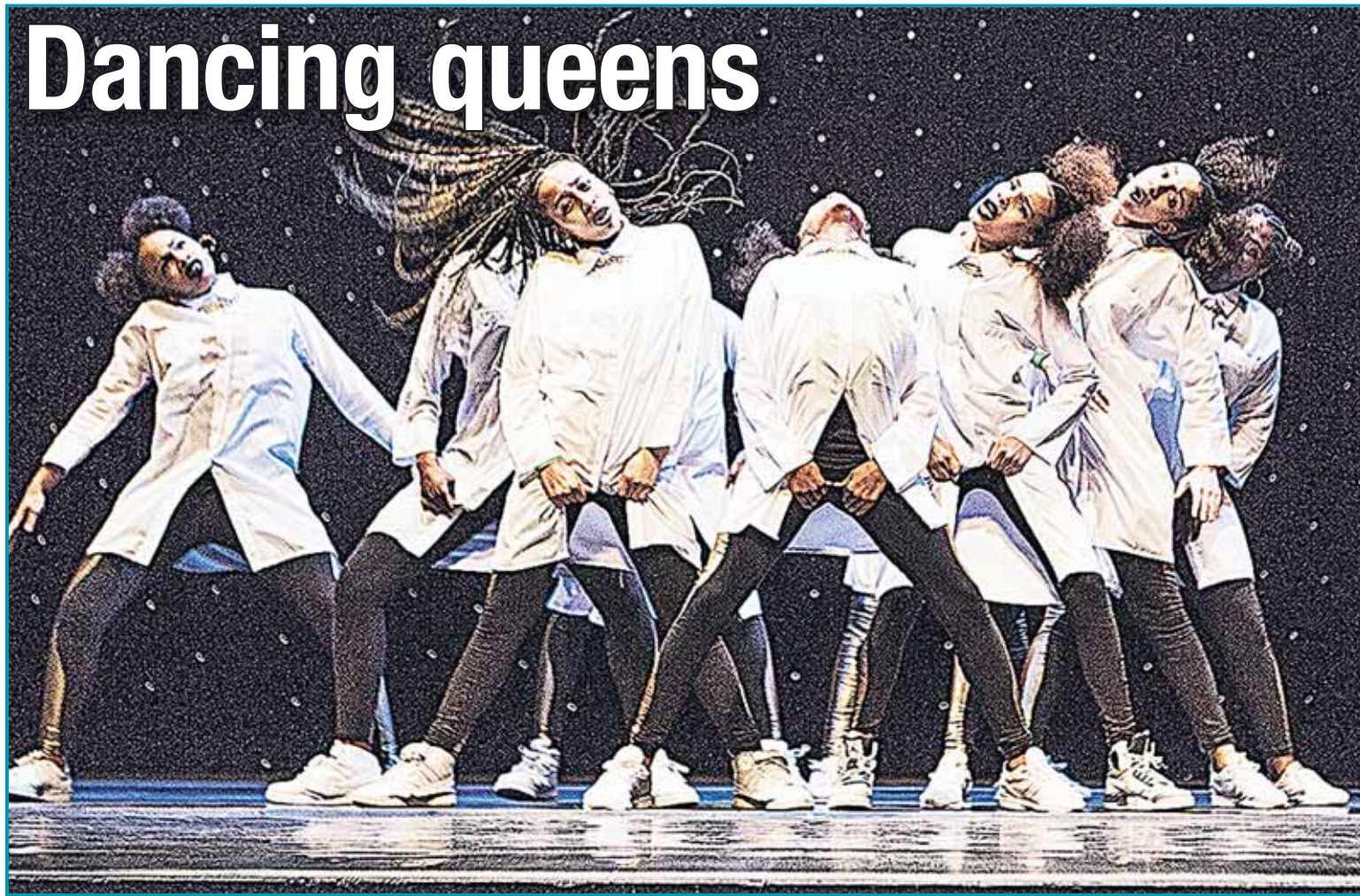


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## Dancing queens



This year's winners of the Alter Ego youth talent show, Steppaz, wowed the audience and judges at the Hackney Empire with their fantastic high-energy performance

**DANCE** crew Steppaz have been crowned this year's winners of the Alter

**Ego youth talent show at Hackney Empire.** The 10-strong all-female

group were handed the crown by last year's winner, singer Kali McLoughlin. They fought

off stiff competition from nine other acts. Special guests on the night

included singer and 'Waterloo Road' actress Paigey Cakey. See pages 8-9 for more.

## THE BEST IN BOROUGH

**D**O YOU know somebody who is helping to make Hackney a better place to live, work or study? Then nominate them now for a new award.

The I Love Hackney Mayor's Civic Awards – which were launched on the 10th anniversary of the I Love Hackney civic

pride campaign – aim to recognise, celebrate and reward the special people of our borough.

Perhaps you know someone who has gone that extra mile to better their neighbourhood or community; or an individual who has overcome an extraordinary difficulty? The Council wants to hear about them.

Mayor of Hackney, Jules Pipe, said: "We know there are amazing people from all walks of life doing extraordinary things in, and for, our borough – it's time they get the recognition and thanks they deserve.

"If you know anyone who you think has made a significant contribution to improving life in

Hackney, then nominate them for these special awards and help us celebrate the best of our borough."

All nominations will be considered by a panel of judges. Entries close on Monday, 28 March.

The three winners will be announced at the Council's AGM in May, where they will receive

trophies and certificates. A special award will also be given to St Joseph's Hospice in Mare Street for its work in the community.

For details on how to nominate someone for the I Love Hackney Mayor's Civic Awards, and for more on the I Love Hackney campaign see pages 5-6.

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The City of London, which is seeking the public's views on its plans, already runs the highly successful City Academy in Homerton (above)

## New schools plan

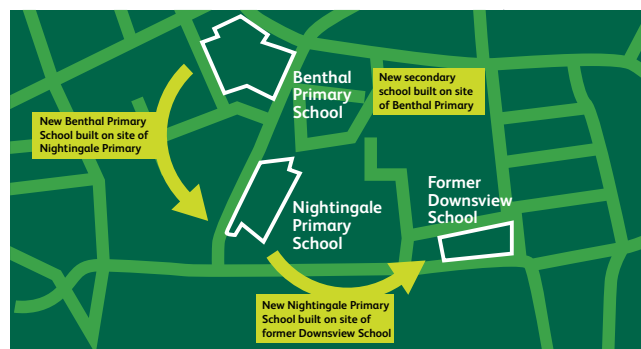
**R**ESIDENTS are being asked their views on plans for two new secondary schools in Hackney.

The City of London – which runs the highly successful City Academy Hackney, in Homerton, and several other academies in London – is seeking residents views on its proposals to sponsor the new schools, which the Council is planning to build.

As part of the application process to the Department for Education, the City of London needs to gather evidence of demand from parents, carers and residents.

The first school would initially open on a temporary site, in Audrey Street, Haggerston, in September next year, while work commences on a permanent building on the site of Britannia Leisure Centre. The Council is currently considering

**“To get the go-ahead, the City of London needs to gather evidence of demand”**



An artist's impression of the proposals for the new Benthal Primary School and Nightingale Primary School

plans to redevelop that site, to provide new leisure facilities, housing and the school, which would open in 2019. The second school would open in Audrey Street in 2019, before moving to its permanent home on the current site of Benthal Primary School in 2022.

As part of a reorganisation of

education land in the Hackney Downs area, Benthal Primary will move to a new building where Nightingale primary currently stands, while Nightingale will move to a new site in Tiger Way. The move is necessary to ensure that there are enough places for local children in the coming years. By 2021, Hackney

will need an extra 2,260 primary places and 1,650 secondary places – this is the equivalent of two new secondary schools and six forms of entry at primary level.

The Council has been consulting parents on ideas to ensure it uses the land it owns in the most effective way. Extensive consultation has already taken place with parents at Benthal and Nightingale schools and they will be updated as plans progress.

### MORE INFO

More information on the wider plans to provide school places can be found at: [www.hackney.gov.uk/bsf](http://www.hackney.gov.uk/bsf)  
To register your interest in receiving information about the City of London's proposals, visit: [www.schoolengagement.co.uk/city-of-london](http://www.schoolengagement.co.uk/city-of-london)



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## Star bakers

Above: The Urswick School's team Lisa Aguis, Safia Vatcher and Nikola Filar and, below, judges Elly Barnes, Jack Monroe and Scott Nunn

**F**EBRUARY is Lesbian Gay Bisexual and Transgender (LGBT) History Month and a number of Hackney-based projects are looking for people to help shape this year's events.

As part of an ongoing collaboration with the University of East London, radio station RadioActive101 and community centre Hub 67 are looking for participants for a LGBT-focused show.

Recording at Hub 67, in Hackney Wick, the programme will focus on local people's experiences and memories of the LGBT community.

Meanwhile, the Council is seeking same-sex couples who have married

in the Town Hall since the historic change in legislation in 2014. They would contribute to an article explaining what it means to be given the same legal rights as straight couples.

Also as part of LGBT History Month, the national grand final of charity Educate and Celebrate's annual Rainbow

**“The bake was inspired by this year's theme of ‘Make a Noise about Bullying’”**

Bake Off, was held at The Urswick School on 12 February. A team of three local girls competed against pupils from 11 other schools in the baking competition.



They were challenged to produce a bake inspired by this year's theme of 'make a noise about bullying'.

Students from Chestnut Grove Academy, in Balham, were crowned the winners by a judging panel comprising of Educate and Celebrate CEO, Elly Barnes; President of Gay Star News, Scott Nunn; and celebrity chef and writer, Jack Monroe.

### MORE INFO

To find out more about Hub 67 visit: [www.hubsixtyseven.com](http://www.hubsixtyseven.com); or e-mail: [sallyhub67@gmail.com](mailto:sallyhub67@gmail.com). To take part in the Council's LGBT marriage project e-mail: [jane.ball@hackney.gov.uk](mailto:jane.ball@hackney.gov.uk)

## News in brief

### Affordability of housing in the spotlight at a public debate

A PUBLIC debate is being held where experts and resident representatives will discuss the issues affecting housing and affordability in the borough.

'Hackney: A Place to Call Home' takes place on Wednesday 9 March, from 6.30pm to 8.30pm, at Stoke Newington Town Hall, Church Street. Attendees can get a greater understanding of the housing challenges that Hackney faces, new government initiatives and changes to funding. They will be able to discuss issues and suggest solutions to help develop the Council's future housing strategy.

The panel, chaired by Inside Housing Editor, Nick Duxbury, includes Pat Turnbull, of the London Tenants Federation; a representative of local private renters group Digs; and Tom Copley, Chair of the GLA's housing committee.

Cllr Philip Glanville, Cabinet Member for Housing, said: "I urge anyone who is interested in the affordability of where they live, and who wants to get a better understanding of the issues at play, to come along and take part."

To register for a free ticket, and pose a question to the panel, visit: [is.gd/fylitK](http://is.gd/fylitK)

As part of a 'fortnight of action' on private renting in Hackney, the Council is reminding tenants of their rights and urging them to sign its '10 Steps' petition calling for legislative changes to improve their living conditions at: [is.gd/fdju5e](http://is.gd/fdju5e). It has also published a checklist to help prospective renters understand if a letting agent is complying with the law at: [is.gd/TgFqdH](http://is.gd/TgFqdH)



Hundreds of new homes are being built at the Kings Crescent Estate in Stoke Newington

## Homegrown dance group E Kidz triumphs in youth talent contest



Celebrations on stage at the Boroughs United final

YOUTH talent showcase, Boroughs United, returned to the Hackney Empire's stage on 14 February, with an event dedicated to every young person lost through youth violence.

Produced and managed by young leaders from charity The Crib, the show starred singers, rappers, MCs and dance troupes

from across the city's 33 boroughs and beyond.

The winners hailed from different corners of the city too. May Smith, who won the over-13s signing category, came from Waltham Forest; Dance troupe PDK, from Barnet; and MC Deoriginal, from Westminster. Overall winners in the under-13s

category were homegrown dance group E Kidz.

Elen Rhys, manager of E-Kidz, said: "For all the hard work and effort they put in, it paid off as even the judges thought they were professionals! I am so proud of every single one of them as they have come so far in such a short space of time."



Contestants take to the stage at Hackney Empire



## feature



Top left: One Hackney Festival carnival performers wearing clothes made out of I Love Hackney themed fabrics

Above: Headdresses representing the five Olympic rings

Left: Children proudly display their collectable I Love Hackney badges created to celebrate the London 2012 Games

Top: A Games-time programme with I Love Hackney lanyard

# Winning hearts

For 10 years, the I Love Hackney campaign has been a symbol of civic pride in the borough

By Harriet Worsley

**W**HEN in 2006, Sophie Allsopp and Phil Spencer declared Hackney 'the worst place to live in the UK', they could never have imagined the boost they were giving to the borough.

"It's all based on official data. We're merely presenting the facts – harsh as they may be," said Spencer in Channel 4 television show *The Best and Worst Places to Live in the UK*. Hackney, however, did not agree.

**“The branding has been used to promote improvements from recycling to public health”**

Mayor Jules Pipe hit back, saying: "This kind of programme panders to the worst sort of middle England snobbery."

After the TV show aired, Hackney Museum staff were spurred on to create an exhibition asking local celebrities why they loved the area. Hackney residents also rose to defend their borough and an extraordinary 10-year civic

pride campaign was born.

Customising the iconic 'I Love NY' branding, 'I Love Hackney' was emblazoned on hundreds of thousands of badges, bags and posters. Driven by the Council, it has been worn proudly by residents and visitors ever since, and customised to promote improvements from recycling and clean streets to public health.

In 2008, for example, the Olympic torch was handed over from Beijing to London, and gold I Love Hackney badges were created to mark the historic occasion.

By 2009, the campaign had become so successful that even the Duchess of Cornwall was snapped wearing a badge when she visited Hackney City Farm. Then in 2011, it became the banner under which Hackney united as a community post riots.

I Love Hackney reached its zenith however, during the London 2012 Games.

A massive programme

Above: The Duchess of Cornwall wears an I Love Hackney badge on a visit to Hackney City Farm in 2009

Left: The community united post 2011 riots under the Love Hackney banner



Above: A badge supporting efforts to reduce pollution and improve health in the borough

Left: The logo created for last year's Digital Shoreditch Festival, celebrating the tech industry's positive impact on the borough's economy







In a new ipsos MORI poll, 84 per cent of residents said they felt a sense of belonging to their neighbourhood

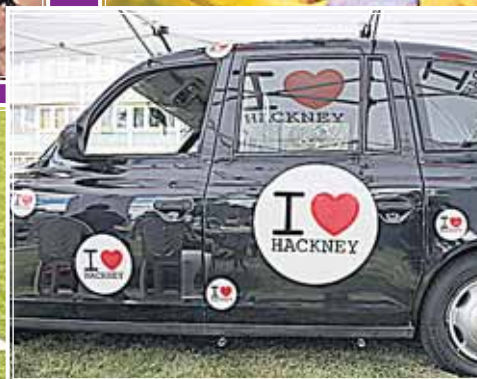
DID YOU KNOW?



Clockwise from top: Singer Leona Lewis performs at the Radio 1 Hackney Weekend in June 2012; volunteers at the music festival hand out I Love Hackney badges and other free merchandise; revellers freestyle the I Love Hackney logo on their T-shirts and faces



Above: The 60m by 46m logo on Mabley Green which could be seen from the Olympic Park



Above: Steve Elias, starring as Sarah the Cook in panto 'Dick Whittington and His Cat' at Hackney Empire in 2012, wears the I Love Hackney logo  
Left: The I Love Hackney taxi, which encouraged people to take part in a consultation to capture residents experiences of change in the borough

of events was launched with the Radio 1 Hackney Weekend, featuring superstar headliners Jay Z and Rihanna. More than 35,000 'I Love Hackney' badges were given out and worn proudly by festival-goers. The Council also produced a limited edition run with the Olympic colours of blue, yellow, green, black and red, to celebrate Hackney's status as one of the six Olympic and Paralympic host boroughs.

The logo even appeared in 60m by 46m lettering on Mabley Green so it was visible from the Olympic

Park's ArcelorMittal Orbit.

In 2014, the 'Cycle Hackney Love Hackney' badge helped promote efforts to reduce pollution and increase health in the borough. And to encourage support for local shops and markets, designer James Long created 'Love Hackney Shop Local' cotton bags to give to customers.

During last year's Digital Shoreditch festival, the now familiar logo was pixelated to celebrate the tech sector's positive impact on the local economy and employment.

In 2015, the 'I Love Hackney' taxi toured the borough and gave people the chance to record their thoughts via a video booth as part of the Council's 'Hackney: A Place For Everyone?'



consultation, which captured residents experiences of change in the borough over the past 10 years.

These efforts are working. In a new ipsos MORI poll, 90 per cent of residents agreed that people from different backgrounds get on well in Hackney, while 84 per cent said they felt a sense of belonging to their neighbourhood – significantly higher than inner London and national averages. We really do, it seems, love Hackney.

## Local heroes hailed

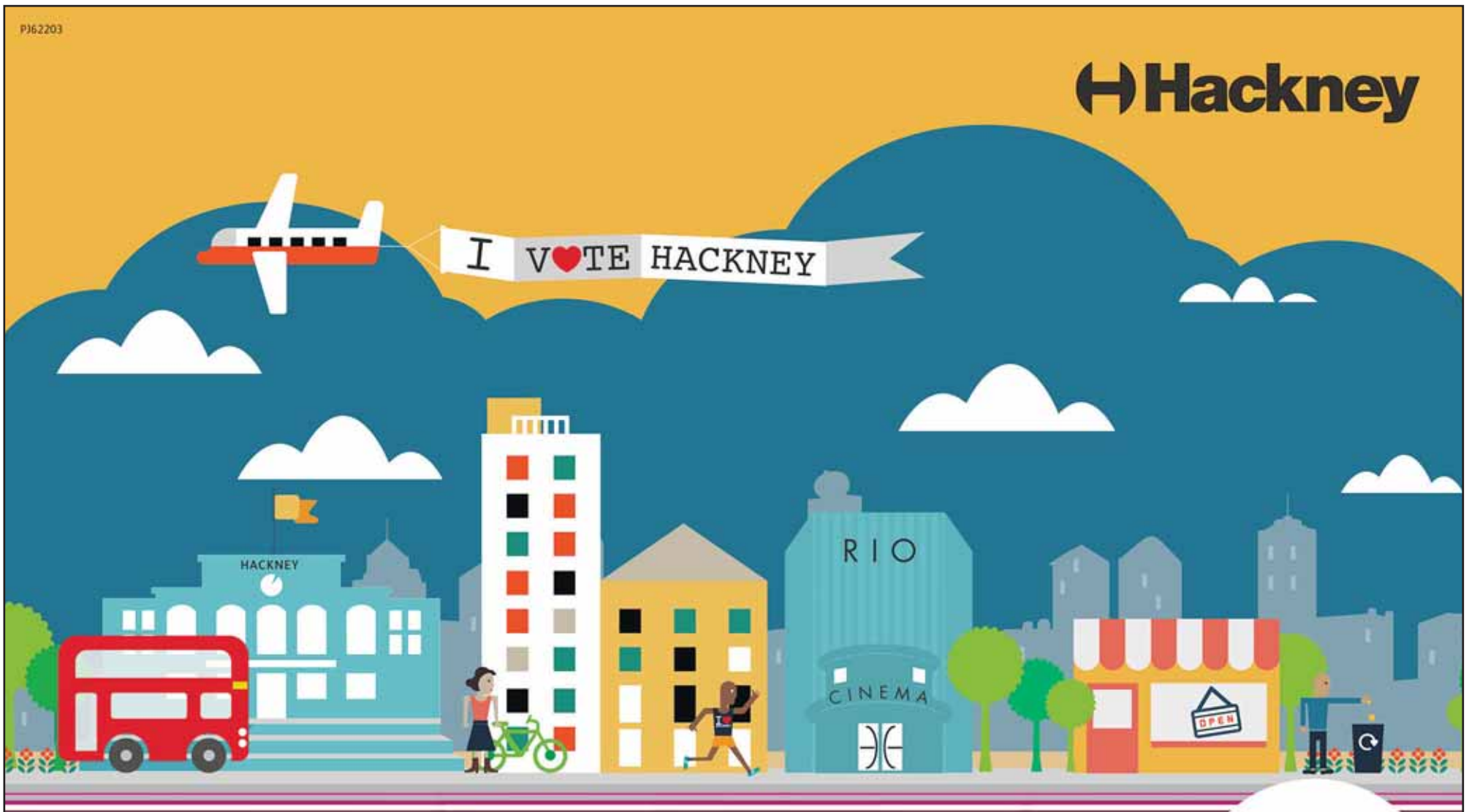
THE Council is launching its first ever I Love Hackney Mayor's Civic Awards to celebrate the borough's unsung heroes.

Do you know someone who works tirelessly for the community? A fabulous teacher or carer; a person who has shown courage in adversity; a dedicated fundraiser or volunteer? The Council wants to hear their stories.

Nominees can be any age and background. Download an application form at: [www.hackney.gov.uk/civic-awards.htm](http://www.hackney.gov.uk/civic-awards.htm) and e-mail it to: [jane.ball@hackney.gov.uk](mailto:jane.ball@hackney.gov.uk). Or pick up a form at the borough's libraries or Hackney Town Hall and post it to: Jane Ball, Communications, Maurice Bishop House, 17 Reading Lane, E8 1HH. Nominations close on 28 March. The three winners will be announced at the Council's AGM in May.







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## Postcode Penpals involves children at schools in rival areas writing to and making friends with each other

**DID YOU  
KNOW?**


1. Rebecca Luisis and Keely Burns, who set up The Charlie Burns Foundation; 2. Boys at St John of Jerusalem Primary School; 3. Rebecca and Keely with one of the St John's pupils; 4. A youngster gets busy writing a letter; 5. Teacher Carly Richards, from St John of Jerusalem; 6. Tom Skrine, eight, composing his thoughts



# Gang rivalry addressed

**A**T St John of Jerusalem Primary School, a group of eight to 10-year-olds are waiting, excitedly, for their names to be called, before tearing open the envelopes their penpals have sent.

Silence pervades, as they pick up pencils and begin to write letters back, scribbling little drawings in the margins to illustrate sunny days and football games. "They have no idea of the background to what they're doing. They just know how fun it is to have a new friend," says Rebecca Luisis.

That background, however, looms large in Rebecca's life. In 2014, her nephew Charlie Burns was stabbed to death in Homerton over a £150 debt. Just 19, he was father to a baby girl. A 17-year-old was later cleared of his murder, but convicted of manslaughter. "My sons had been

mugged, my nephews stabbed. My kids lost friends to knives and guns. Then we lost Charlie and our world just collapsed. I had to do something," Rebecca explains.

Having worked in schools for 14 years, she knew they had to start while the children were young. So with Charlie's mother Keely, she set up The Charlie Burns Foundation and developed the Postcode Penpals scheme, which gets children at schools in rival areas to make friends by writing to each other.

The hope is these relationships will continue into secondary school, and deter them from fighting each other when they get older. A pilot scheme started four months ago, with letters exchanged between pupils at St John of Jerusalem, E9, and London Fields Primary School, E8.

"I was a teaching assistant at St John's for over a

**“Postcode rivalry is a subject we all need to face and, this way, the children are made aware of it”**

decade and Charlie was a student there too, so when I explained what we wanted to do, the head signed up straight away. London Fields primary was in its rival area, so I approached the head there. Luckily, she loved the idea too," Rebecca adds.

Over the next three years, the children will write to each other, then progress to meeting, and finally

going on trips together. "Because if you have grown up knowing someone from a different area, there is less chance of you being hurt by, or hurting those people," Rebecca says.

The children's letters are evidence of the relationships that are developing.

Kamaria Pryce-Kesles, nine, says: "My pen pal is just like my twin sister, she likes the same colours as me, and I can't wait

to meet her."

Teacher Carly Richards explains: "Postcode rivalry is a subject we all need to face and, this way, the children are made aware of it and it's being done gently, without frightening them."

Older year six students at St John's have 'street skills' built into their Postcode Penpal sessions too, with ex-gang members and police officers visiting the school to talk to them.

Rebecca says: "At the end of each session I ask them the same question. What would you do if someone asks for your phone?" At first, lots of them said, 'Oh I don't have to give them nothing'. So we talked about whether your phone was more important, or your life. Now, when I ask them what they'd do, they all say: 'Hand over your phone and walk away'."

"I think Charlie would have loved this," says Keeley. Adding: "He was

such a generous character, if anyone went without, he'd take them under his wing."

Their ambitions don't stop here, however. The Charlie Burns Foundation has also set up a parent support group, Postcode Parents, which meets in Kingshold Community Hall every Friday. It is close to becoming a registered charity and the pair hope other schools will take up the Postcode Penpals scheme now the pilot is proving so successful.

Rebecca says: "I just want it to keep on growing. No family should have to go through what we're going through. There's a huge hole in our family and it doesn't shrink, it never goes away."

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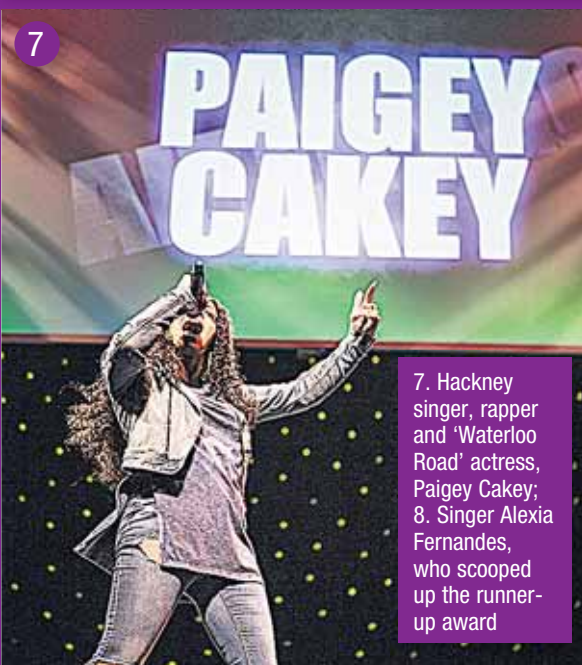
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1. Alter Ego winners, dance crew Steppaz: Paris Dockeray, 12, Shakirah Dockeray, 14, Jenade Lee Gordon Cummings, 14, Aisha Hawkins, 14, Tianne Needham Hazle, 12, Shaneze Dacosta, 14, Jordyn Alexander, 16, Kimberley Martin, 12, Ruth Dable, 13, Rochelle Dwamena, 13; 2. Singer Alexia Fernandes with dancer Rio Cavelle-Phillips; 3. Compere Kat B; 4. Rapper SNE; 5. City Choir; 6. Steppaz crew member with the first place trophy



7. Hackney singer, rapper and 'Waterloo Road' actress, Paigey Cakey; 8. Singer Alexia Fernandes, who scooped up the runner-up award

# Feel the love

## Dance crew Steppaz were crowned the winner of this year's Alter Ego talent show at Hackney Empire

By Anne-Marie Oni

**A**LTER Ego returned with a bang. Now in its ninth year, the youth talent show continues to be a platform for emerging artists to display their abilities to a wider audience.

The competition, presented by Hackney Empire, forms part of the Council's annual youth arts and culture festival, Discover Young Hackney.

It showcased 10 finalists who demonstrated their vocal and dancing skills to a crowd of over 1,200.

Audience members were able to vote online during the final, on 5 February, with their feedback

combining with the judges' votes to choose the overall winner.

Last year's winner, singer Kali McLoughlin, handed the crown to the 10-member all female dance crew Steppaz.

Dancer Shakirah Dockeray, 14, who lives in Hackney, said: "Performing in front of the crowd was amazing, but we were nervous at the same time. It was a good experience – the best.

**“It's really nice to see loads of young talented people on a stage living their dreams”**

"We're just going to keep training, reach our dreams and make sure we stick together."

Singer Alexia Fernandes, took second place with a beautifully performed Whitney Houston song.

Third place went to singer and guitarist, Josh Tenor, 15, who said: "This is my

sixth time performing at the Empire and my second time at Alter Ego – I thought it was very lively.

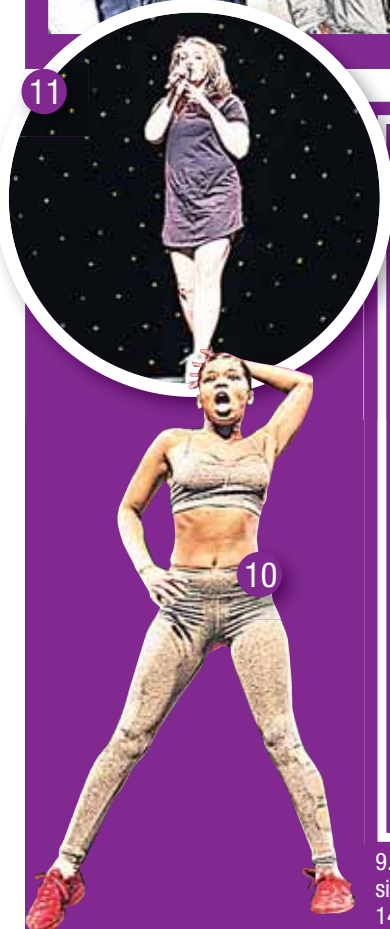
"There is so much untapped talent in Hackney. Even if you don't come first, second or third, this is a good platform to just show what you've got."

The trio of winners impressed the audience, special guests and panel judges Susie McKenna, Creative Director of Hackney Empire; CeCe Sammy, vocal coach for X Factor, Britain's Got Talent and The Voice; Caroline SM, from XL Recordings; and Loyal Manoochehri, Director of Salt Music.

The dance performances were energetic, well choreographed and thrilling, while all the vocalists gave a



# Alter Ego forms part of free youth arts festival Discover Young Hackney

**DID YOU  
KNOW?**


16. Comedy trio Mandem on the Wall; 17. A packed-out Hackney Empire; 18. Singer Kate Wilson; 19. Singer Aysia; 20. Singer Princess; 21. Alter Ego finalists and judges



Photos: Fabrice Bourgelie-Pyres



great delivery of their songs.

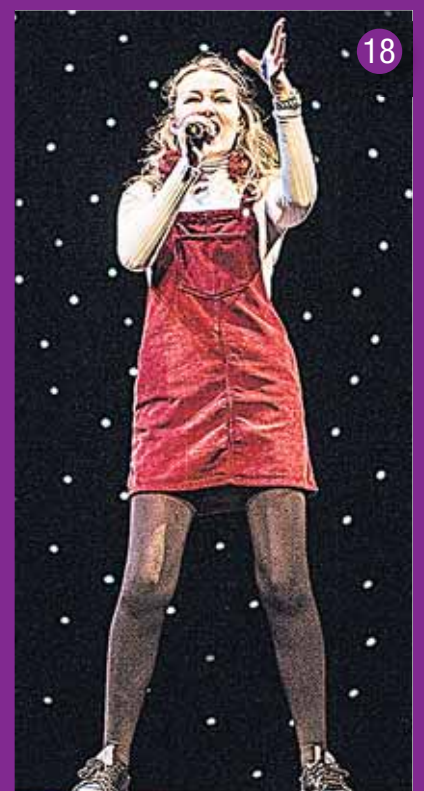
Special guests on the night included Hackney singer and 'Waterloo Road' actress, Paige Cakey; rappers Kojey Radical and SNE; grime artist Ghetts with DJ Rude Kid; and comedy trio Mandem on The Wall.

Paige Cakey said: "I think shows like Alter Ego are great as they provide a platform for the youth to

showcase their talent.

"It's really nice to see loads of young talented people on a stage living their dreams."

Alter Ego has proven to be a good platform for past winners. The 2012 runner-up Jermaine Jackman won 'The Voice' in 2014. Meanwhile, 2013 winner, Emily Grace, released her EP 'Heart and Mind' last summer.





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## Food Waste Recycling Study

Researchers at the University of Sussex would like to invite you to take part in a study looking at people's thoughts about food waste recycling.

The research is being carried out in partnership with Hackney Council and the North London Waste Authority. The study involves completing an online questionnaire which should take no more than 15 minutes.

By way of thanks, people who take part in this study will be entered into a prize draw with a chance to win £200. If you would like to take part, please visit <https://sussex.onlinesurveys.ac.uk/food-waste>

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Hackney is one of the most diverse places in the UK. In this regular feature, we profile the borough's great & good or just plain interesting

# Dishing up a great start in life for pupils

By Harriet Worsley

**I**t was my dad who started it, really," says Carmel McConnell, founder of the charity Magic Breakfast, which aims to prevent hunger being a barrier to education by providing healthy breakfasts to schools across the UK.

She explains: "My family came from Ireland, and we grew up in Romford. My dad worked nights at the Ford factory, but he'd come home from a shift and make sure we had a big bowl of porridge before we left for school. You couldn't be sure what the rest of the day would bring you, but you set yourself up right with a decent breakfast."

Carmel went on to become 'a full-on social activist', campaigning against nuclear weapons at Greenham Common and in the States. She says: "I tried to be a campaigner alongside holding down dull day jobs."

She was a receptionist at BT, where she took a sponsored MBA course. She went on to found a highly successful business, before moving to the City. It was

**“When I brought breakfast, attendance and punctuality began to rise, concentration and engagement rose”**

while researching her first book 'Change Activist', that she discovered the problem of hunger in schools.

"I was trying to find out whether the fact that our society was becoming richer meant that it was also becoming fairer. A friend put me in touch with some headteachers in Hackney and every single one told me the same shocking story: they had pupils coming into school so hungry, so unable to learn, that teachers were having to bring food in themselves to feed them," she says.

The book went on to become a business bestseller, but Carmel couldn't forget those Hackney children. So she began to spend her book profits on those schools.

She explains: "I had to work all week, but on Saturday I would go to Tesco on Morning Lane, buy food, and give it to the school caretakers, to distribute among the

children on Monday."

After a few months, the schools' headteachers began telling her of transformations.

"One said they had a problem with truants, but when they questioned the children it turned out they were leaving school to forage for food. When I brought breakfast, attendance and punctuality began to rise, concentration and engagement rose. These weren't bad kids. They were just hungry kids," she says.

Carmel decided to take a two-year sabbatical from work to focus entirely on the issue. Adding: "I thought I could fix it in two years, but it's taken over my whole life!"

Today, Magic Breakfast provides a healthy breakfast of cereal, porridge, bagels, and fruit juice to 480 schools across the country, giving 23,500 children the start they need to concentrate in class and learn. It costs just 22p per child and most of the food is donated by corporate partners. But, says Carmel, the battle is far from over.

She says: "Half a million children in the UK go to school hungry. And it's not their parents' fault. They come from hungry families. Families where



Carmel McConnell, founder of the charity Magic Breakfast

the parents get up early to work to pay the bills, where the cost of living is rising, where parents are fighting just to keep their families together."

Carmel wants to end that phenomenon in Hackney first. She says: "I've seen the borough transformed

in the last 15 years. There have been so many massive improvements. But it's where we started, so it's where I'd like to see it end first. Then, we want to end hunger as a barrier to education across the country in 2020 and across the world by 2040."

## Curriculum Vitae: Carmel McConnell

- 1961** Born in Romford
- 2001** Founded children's charity Magic Breakfast
- 2014** Named one of Britain's most influential women in the BBC Woman's Hour power list
- 2016** Made an MBE for services to school food

## MORE INFO

To find out more about Magic Breakfast, visit: [www.magicbreakfast.com](http://www.magicbreakfast.com). If a school or business is interested in working with Magic Breakfast, e-mail: [info@magicbreakfast.com](mailto:info@magicbreakfast.com)





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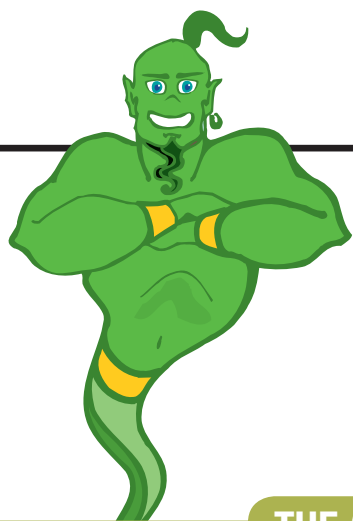
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**A:** The Council does not provide recycling bins for people to keep outside their home. Some residents buy their own bins, which is fine. If you buy one, make sure it's a normal dustbin rather than a wheelie bin. The Council can send you a sticker to show that it's for recycling. Just e-mail or write to the recycling team, see details below.



#### MORE INFO

To ask the Genie a question, e-mail: [recycling@hackney.gov.uk](mailto:recycling@hackney.gov.uk), or write to: **Green Genie, Recycling, Keltan House, 89-115 Mare Street, E8 4RU**. For more information on recycling in the borough call: **020 8356 6688**, or visit: [www.hackney.gov.uk/recycling](http://www.hackney.gov.uk/recycling)

# greenmatters



## A new home for furniture

1. Workers from Homestore pick up donated furniture; 2. Asylum seeker Afham, who received help from the project; 3. A van driver from Homestore

**F**URNITURE poverty is a very real issue in East London today.

Individuals and families moving into a permanent home from temporary accommodation – after a period of homelessness or fleeing an abusive situation – can find themselves in houses that are inadequately furnished.

Many cannot afford the basics like beds, tables, fridges and sofas.

The Council's partners, Homestore, which is run by charity Quaker Social Action, collect good condition furniture for free from homes across East London.

Anyone with proof of

**“I'm an asylum seeker so we can't afford furniture. Homestore was a lifeline”**

a low income can buy furniture at prices pegged well below any other business or charity, and deliveries are free. So far more than 3,000 residents have donated furniture,

weighing over 260 tonnes, that would have otherwise been thrown away.

Afham came to this country from Sri Lanka in 2001, where he had experienced considerable

violence. He and his wife were working as teachers in the UK until the Home Office rescinded their work permits and they were evicted. Afham said: “I cannot claim benefits because I am an asylum seeker, so we just can't afford furniture. We live on £230 a week. Homestore was a lifeline.”

#### MORE INFO

If you have a low income and need furniture, call Homestore on: **020 8519 6264**. If you've got good quality furniture you want picked up free of charge, book a collection at: [www.hackney.gov.uk/furniture](http://www.hackney.gov.uk/furniture), or call: **020 8519 6264**.



Homestore is a project organised by charity Quaker Social Action

## Tackling climate change through ethical pension fund investments

THE Council held a special meeting last month to look at its pension fund's approach to climate change and its investments in companies associated with fossil fuels.

At the pensions committee meeting, a series of recommendations were agreed that will

strengthen and develop its commitment to ensuring that investment decisions take into account key climate change issues.

The recommendations include a consideration of a five per cent investment of the fund in sustainable/low carbon and clean energy funds, and continued work by the

Local Authority Pension Fund Forum to press environmental, social and governance issues directly with large corporate organisations to influence their decisions.

Cllr Robert Chapman, Chair of the pensions committee, said: “I'm pleased that we've been able to officially confirm

our ongoing commitment to considering environmental, social and governance issues when making decisions about investments as part of the pension fund portfolio.

“We understand the concerns around local authority pension funds' investment in companies related to fossil fuel.”







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For further information please call Pauline and for referrals call Laura on 020 8815 3270



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# what'son

## TOP FIVE

There's so much to do in and around Hackney. From theatre to club nights, art exhibitions to community events. Here's our pick of what's on this fortnight:

### 1. HAND MAID

An exhibition exploring themes of feminine identity in aid of International Women's Day

► See Art & Exhibitions

### 2. CYCLE TRAINING

Learn how to ride a bike by practising in a safe environment

► See Health, Sport & Fitness

### 3. LIPSYNC 1000

Battle it out to a song of your choice in a contest to hunt out new drag talent

► See Nightlife

### 4. BEAR JOKES COMEDY

Eight handpicked, award-winning comedians in a night of stand-up

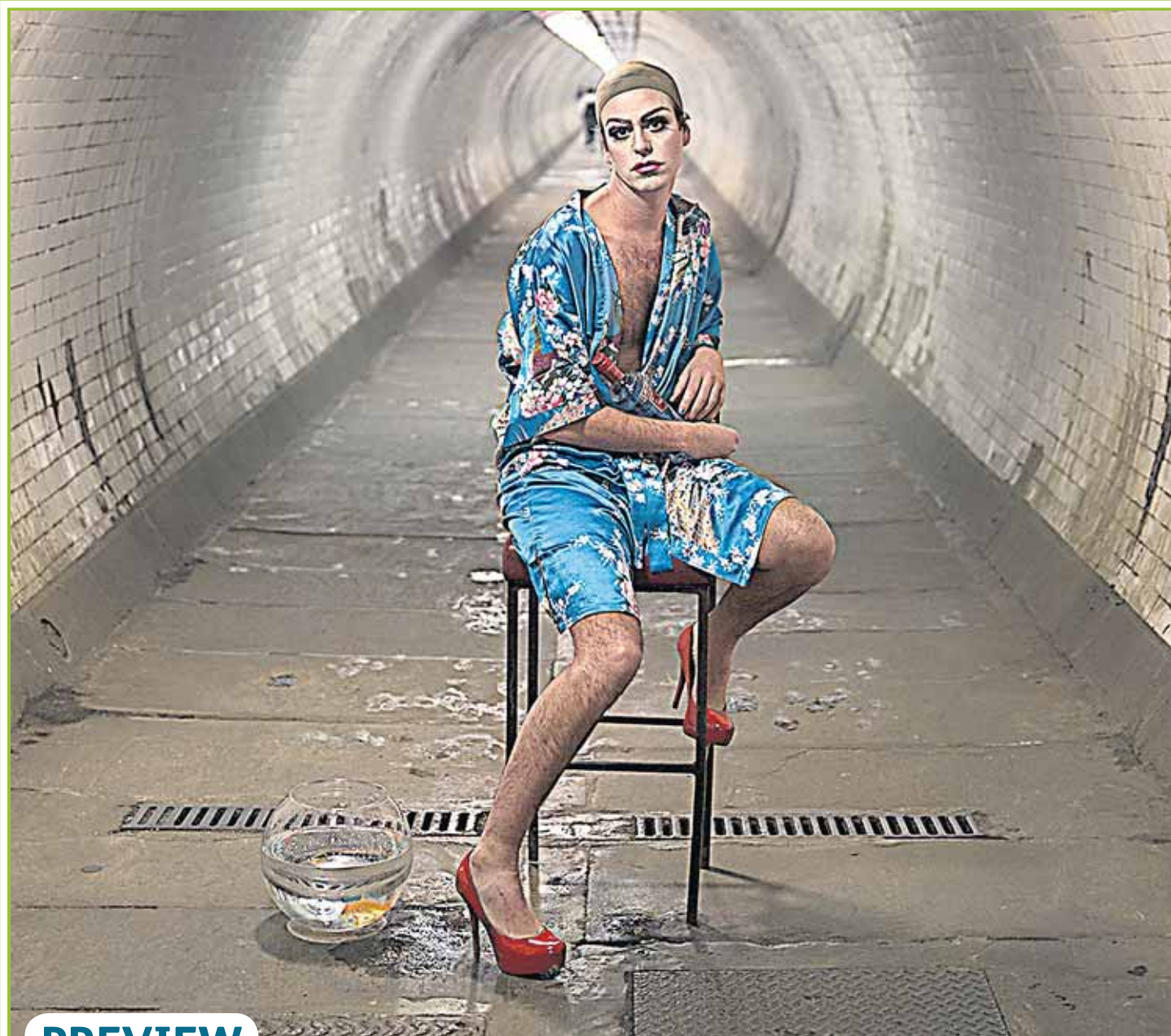
► See Theatre & Live Entertainment

### 5. THE HISTORY OF WHISKY

Taste whisky from around the world and explore various methods of distilling

► See Noticeboard

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## PREVIEW

## I Am Not Myself These Days

1-12 March, Shoreditch Town Hall, 380 Old Street, EC1V 9LT

A ONE-man show described as 'heartbreaking and brilliant' by critics is transferring from the Edinburgh Fringe to Shoreditch Town Hall.

'I Am Not Myself These Days' is an adaption of Josh Kilmer-Purcell's bestselling autobiography, setting out his double life as an advertising executive by day and a glitter-dripping drag queen at

night. Tom Stuart's performance as 'Aqua' has been described as 'breathtakingly physical' by The Stage magazine. Stuart adapted the memoir for stage after reading it and deciding he 'wanted to see if I could extend that honesty to the stage'. If the play's reception to date is anything to go by, he has succeeded.

Show times are: Mon-Thurs & Sat, 7.30pm; 8pm on Friday. Sat matinee, 2.30pm.

► For more info, visit: [www.shoreditchtownhall.com](http://www.shoreditchtownhall.com)

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## ART & EXHIBITIONS

### BELLS FROM THE DEEP

Until 28 Feb, various opening times

The gallery's open call for artists working on drawings or hand-made printing resulted in this exhibition featuring the work of over 60 artists exploring themes such as memory, escape and conflict. Free. Hundred Years Gallery, 13 Pearson Street, E2 8JD. Info: 020 3602 7973; [info@hundredyearsgallery.com](mailto:info@hundredyearsgallery.com); [www.hundredyearsgallery.com/bells-from-the-deep-exhibition-2016/](http://www.hundredyearsgallery.com/bells-from-the-deep-exhibition-2016/)

### ALL OF THIS IS TEMPORARY

23 Feb, 5.30pm

An abstract night of interactive exhibitions and live performance that, through the eyes of politically and culturally charged underground

artists, asks the question: is capitalism working? £4. Rich Mix, 35-47, E1 6LA.

Info: 020 7613 7498; [boxoffice@richmix.org.uk](mailto:boxoffice@richmix.org.uk); [www.richmix.org.uk/whats-on/event/all-of-this-is-temporary/](http://www.richmix.org.uk/whats-on/event/all-of-this-is-temporary/)

### TRAGIC FORMS

26 Feb- 9 Apr, Tues-Sat, 10am-6pm

Artist Ken Currie's works focuses on the human body in a state of transformation, between physical and existential states. The hybridised figures in the exhibition appear to be half-human, half-slabs of meat. Transitioning between the two,



they present a state of physical and psychic flux. Free. All ages. Transition Gallery, 82 Kingsland Road, E2 8DP. Info: 020 7920 7777; [info@flowersgallery.com](mailto:info@flowersgallery.com); [www.flowersgallery.com/exhibitions/view/ken-currie-tragic-forms](http://www.flowersgallery.com/exhibitions/view/ken-currie-tragic-forms)

### WHAT'S UP PLANT

4 Mar-4 Apr, 9am-5pm

Artist Ting Cheng finds new ways of playfully demonstrating her love for all things plant through a series of sculptural pieces using a fusion of photography, graphic design, styling and installation art. Free. All ages. Stour Space, 7 Roach Road, Hackney Wick, E3 2PA. Info: 020 8985 7827; [info@stourspace.co.uk](mailto:info@stourspace.co.uk); [www.stourspace.co.uk/portfolio/whats-up-plant-ting-cheng-march-2016/](http://www.stourspace.co.uk/portfolio/whats-up-plant-ting-cheng-march-2016/)

### HAND MAID

6-9 Mar, 12noon-7pm

This exhibition is being held in aid of International Women's Day and will showcase the work of artists exploring the themes of feminine identity,

feminist issues, and social and political issues. Free. All ages. Hoxton Arches, Arch 402, Cremer Street, E2 8HD. Info: 020 3051 5087; [info@hoxtonarches.com](mailto:info@hoxtonarches.com); <http://heyevent.uk/event/4yqzarcuslr2ga/exhibition-on-screen-goya>



## CINEMA

### RIO

A Bigger Splash (15); Youth (15); Lee Scratch Perry's Vision Of Paradise (15). Rio Cinema, 107 Kingsland High Street, Dalston, E8 2PB. Info: 020 7241 9410; [www.riocinema.ndirect.co.uk](http://www.riocinema.ndirect.co.uk)

### RICH MIX

The Revenant (15); Spotlight (15); The Big Short (15) Zoolander 2 (12A); Deadpool (15). Rich Mix, 35-47 Bethnal Green Rd, E1 6LA. Info: 020 7613 7498; [www.richmix.org.uk](http://www.richmix.org.uk)

### richmix.org.uk

### HACKNEY PICTUREHOUSE

A Bigger Splash (15); Alvin and the Chipmunks: Road Chip (U); The Big Short (15); Bone Tomahawk (15); Chronic (15); Deadpool (15); Freeheld (12A); The Revenant (15); Room (15); Spotlight (15); Triple 9 (15). Hackney Picturehouse, 270 Mare St, E8 1HE. Info: 0871 902 5734; [www.picturehouses.co.uk/cinema/hackney\\_picturehouse](http://www.picturehouses.co.uk/cinema/hackney_picturehouse)



## COURSES

### LIFE DRAWING: DRESSED/UNDRESSED

22 Feb, 7-9pm

Draw a nude model, with vintage garments introduced as props, giving you a chance to explore colour and texture in relation to the human form. The model will start with a series of quick warm-up poses, then move onto two 15-25 minute poses, followed by a 45-minute pose. Materials provided. All levels. £20/12 otd. Paper Dress Vintage, 352A Mare Street, Hackney Central, E8 1HR. Info: 020 8510 0520; [becklifedrawing@hotmail.com](mailto:becklifedrawing@hotmail.com); [www.paperdressvintage.co.uk/life-drawing-dressedundressed](http://www.paperdressvintage.co.uk/life-drawing-dressedundressed)

### TASTE OF PALESTINE

27 Feb, 12noon-4.30pm

Tamara Tahhan gives cooks the skills and confidence to create their own Middle Eastern dishes. Use techniques such as layering and smoking, and learn to make your own taboon (flat) bread and more. £65/52 conc (includes organic lunch). Made in Hackney, Food For All Basement, 3 Cazenove Road, Stoke Newington, N16 6PA. Info: 020 8442 4266;

Info@madeinhackney.org; [www.madeinhackney.org/whats-on/event/taste-of-the-middle-east-with-tamara-tahhan](http://www.madeinhackney.org/whats-on/event/taste-of-the-middle-east-with-tamara-tahhan)

### CAKE DECORATING

5, 12 & 26 Mar, 10am-2pm

Gain the knowledge and skills to decorate cakes using flowers, butter cream and sugar paste, while learning how to use piping strokes, plus tips on how to sell your cakes in one-to-one sessions. Suitable for beginners or as a refresher. £140. Materials and cakes provided. Unit 24-25 The Forum, Independent Place, Shacklewell Lane, E8 2HE. Info: 0207 249 4542; [htea@live.co.uk](mailto:htea@live.co.uk); [www.madeinhackney.org/whats-on/event/taste-of-the-middle-east-with-tamara-tahhan](http://www.madeinhackney.org/whats-on/event/taste-of-the-middle-east-with-tamara-tahhan)

### CREATE AN HEIRLOOM - TEXTILE PIECE MOTHER'S DAY SPECIAL

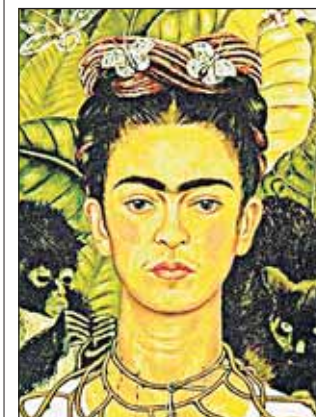
6 Mar, 2-5pm

Share a wonderful afternoon together stitching a unique heirloom. Drawing inspiration from the studio's 'Remember Me' service, bring along items of clothing that hold sentimental value and transform them into a rag doll or pillow. Booking essential. All levels. £50 (mother & daughter/son). Materials and equipment provided. Ages 10+. Fabrications, 7 Broadway Market, E8 4PH. Info: 020 7275 8043; [barley@fabrications1.co.uk](mailto:barley@fabrications1.co.uk); [www.fabrications1.co.uk](http://www.fabrications1.co.uk)

### ART MACABRE: FRIDA KAHLO

7 Mar, 7-9pm

On the eve of International Women's Day, celebrate a powerful and iconic female artist in this themed special.



# Competition

## Win tickets to see hard-hitting comedians at Hackney Empire



FOR one night only, two of Britain's funniest, hard-hitting comedians join forces for a special night at the iconic Hackney Empire on 26 March.

Comedian, actor and presenter Richard Blackwood (currently starring in EastEnders) teams up with multi-award winning stand-up comic and people's champion Danny 'Slim' Gray for a night promising to be a barrel of laughs.

Richard Blackwood's satirical approach to comedy and Slim's ability to capture different aspects of everyday life and twist it into his own brand of comedy makes them the perfect comedy duo.

Promotion suggests Bad Boys takes its influence from the hit action-comedy film franchise with the same name, so expect to have your belly aching with laughter with two of the UK's most charismatic and popular performers.

Due to high demand, a second show will take place and Hackney Today are giving away a pair of tickets to the later performance of 11.30pm. For more info visit: [www.hackneyempire.co.uk/](http://www.hackneyempire.co.uk/)

For a chance to win, send a postcard to Bad Boys competition, Hackney Today, 1st Floor, Maurice Bishop House, 17 Reading Lane, E8 1NN; or e-mail: [htnews@hackney.gov.uk](mailto:htnews@hackney.gov.uk) by 3 March. All entries must include a name, address telephone number. Winners will be pulled out of a hat.



Sketch different sides and interpretations of Frida Kahlo, from passion and pleasure to pain, then paint and sketch portraits of two models as they channel the spirit of the Mexican painter. £15. Price includes materials and an alcoholic drink. Ages 18+. Looking Glass Cocktail Club, 49 Hackney Road, E2 7NX. **Info:** 020 7613 3936; [info@lookingglasslondon.co.uk](mailto:info@lookingglasslondon.co.uk); [www.artmacabre.bigcartel.com/product/frida-weds-9-march](http://www.artmacabre.bigcartel.com/product/frida-weds-9-march)



## HEALTH, FITNESS & SPORT

### THE NEW AGE GAMES

**Until, 24 Mar, various times**  
Choose from a range of sport and physical activities delivered by specialist coaches to help you keep fit and active. The winter programme includes archery, fencing, badminton, Brazilian dance, chair-based activity, cycling, swimming, tennis and more. Free. Ages 50+. Various Hackney venues. **Info:** 020 8356 4897; [darren.english@hackney.gov.uk](mailto:darren.english@hackney.gov.uk); [www.hackney.gov.uk/newage-games](http://www.hackney.gov.uk/newage-games)

### CAPOEIRA

**Every Wed, 6-8pm**

Taught by an authentic Brazilian master, Capoeira is a martial art practised to percussive music and songs. Beginners class, 6-7pm, £10/ free for children and Sanctuary residents. Classes from 7pm are targeted at improvers, £10/£5 conc. Ages 5-85. Morningside Community Centre, Collent Street, E9 6SG. **Info:** 07856 032 553; [www.facebook.com/palmaresuk](http://www.facebook.com/palmaresuk)

### CYCLE TRAINING

**Every Sat & Sun, 10am-2pm**

Saturday sessions start off road practising control then move onto the road for the duration of the class. Sunday sessions strictly take place off road for first-time riders, or to improve your handling skills in a safe environment. Free bike hire on a first-come

first-served basis. Young people under 11 should be accompanied by an adult. Meeting point: Hackney Downs (Sat), and Petchey Academy (Sun). Free. All ages. Hackney Downs basketball courts, E5 8NP; and Petchey Academy playground area, Shacklewell Lane, E8 2EY. **Info:** [www.cycletraining.co.uk/boroughs/hackney/hackney-group-sessions/](http://www.cycletraining.co.uk/boroughs/hackney/hackney-group-sessions/)

### RUN FIT

**28 Feb & 6 Mar, 10.30-11.30am**

Plyometric interval training (also known as jump training) with high-speed/high intensity repetitions followed by periods of rest or low activity to recover, boost muscle power, strength and balance. Free. Meeting point by the basketball courts at Millfields Park, Lea Bridge Road, E5 0AR. **Info:** 0800 111 4464; [getfitnow@ourparks.org.uk](http://getfitnow@ourparks.org.uk); [www.ourparks.org.uk/borough/run-fit-17343](http://www.ourparks.org.uk/borough/run-fit-17343)

### FEEL HEALTHY AND VIBRANT

**5 Mar, 11.30am-12.45pm**

Feeling healthy is also about feeling vibrant from within. Join in a talk to find various ways to feel vibrant. Free. Ages 18+. Dalston CLR James Library, Dalston Square, E8 3BQ. **Info:** 020 7836 6688; [event@innerspace.org.uk](mailto:event@innerspace.org.uk); [www.innerspace.org.uk/event/feel-healthy-and-vibrant/](http://www.innerspace.org.uk/event/feel-healthy-and-vibrant/)



## NIGHTLIFE

### LIPSYNC 1000

**Every Wed, 8pm**

Lipsync contestants battle it out to a song or mash-up of their choice in a contest to hunt out new drag talent. Joined by a panellist of fashion designers, artists and magazine editors each week. Hosted by John Sizzle. Winner walks away with £1,000. Free. The Glory, 281 Kingsland Road, E2 8AS. **Info:** 020 7684 0794; [jonny@theglory.co](mailto:jonny@theglory.co); [www.theglory.co/lipsync-1000/](http://www.theglory.co/lipsync-1000/)

### BAD MANNERS

**25 Feb, 8am-2pm**

This new club night leaves commercial tunes at the front door and brings the newest underground DJs and sounds in the form of hip hop, trap, future beats and UK garage. £5. Ages 18+. The Book Club, 100 Leonard Street, Shoreditch, EC2A 4RH. **Info:** [www.thebookclub.eventcube.io/events/3279/bad-manners-vol3](http://www.thebookclub.eventcube.io/events/3279/bad-manners-vol3)

### THE TUCKSHOP FUNK & SOUL WEEKENDER LAUNCH PARTY

**26 Feb, 10pm-6am**

Club night Tuckshop host their own tropical party, with their favourite Number 90 producers and DJs. Line-up includes British-Ghanian soul singer Flowers, hip-hop DJ from Detroit Tall Black Guy and resident DJs delivering feel-good vibes throughout the night on vinyl. £12.50/15. Ages 18+. Number 90, 90 Main Yard, Wallis Road, E9 5LN. **Info:** 90 Main Yard, Wallis Road, Hackney Wick, E9 5LN. **Info:** 020 8986 0090; [www.number90bar.co.uk/e/tuckshop-soul-funk-weekender/2016/02/26/](http://www.number90bar.co.uk/e/tuckshop-soul-funk-weekender/2016/02/26/)

### FADED FINALE

**2 Mar, 9.30pm-3am**

Established in March 2012, Faded has grown to be one of London's biggest hip hop & rnb club night brands, having thrown over 50 events over the years. Celebrating their four-year anniversary and their last London party, Faded gets set for a final turn-up before they depart the city. £12/15/18. Ages 18+. XOYO, 32-37 Cowper Street, Shoreditch, EC2A 4AP. **Info:** [info@xoyo.co.uk](mailto:info@xoyo.co.uk); [www.xoyo.co.uk](http://www.xoyo.co.uk)

### TO THE LAZER CAVE...

**4 Mar, 10pm-6am**

Party all night to disco, house and techno, surrounded by thousands of lazer beams, special effects and installations at the club night's biggest cave venue yet. There will also be 'lazer cocktails' and makeup artists on the night. Not suitable for those sensitive to high level of lighting effects and strobe. £14/18. Ages 18+. The Laundry, 2-18 Warburton Road, E8 3FN. **Info:** [contact@tothelazercave.co.uk](mailto:contact@tothelazercave.co.uk); [tothelazercave.co.uk](http://tothelazercave.co.uk)



## PREVIEW

## Neverended

**Until 28 Feb, Londonewcastle, Shoreditch, E2 7DP**

**GRAFFITI art has come off the streets and into the gallery for a new exhibition celebrating a decade of the artform.**

Housed in the Londonewcastle space in Shoreditch, Neverended collects together more than 200 works of street art by internationally acclaimed figures like Will Barras, Candy Lo and Dotmasters, showcasing their graffiti, street art, music and film.

The exhibition is curated by EndofTheLine whose Creative Director, Jim Vision, says it

will 'take the pulse of East London's urban art scene in 2016'.

Alongside the art, a series of pop-up events are taking place, including a small shop selling limited edition prints, life drawing classes, talks, music and even 'pop-up feasts'.

Neverended runs until 28 February at the Londonewcastle Project Space. It opens Tuesday to Sunday, 11am to 8pm. For more information visit: <http://londonewcastle.com>

[www.residentadvisor.net/event.aspx?800613](http://www.residentadvisor.net/event.aspx?800613)



## THEATRE & LIVE ENTERTAINMENT

### ANIMAL FARM

**Until 13 Mar, 7pm**

After a boar named Old Major tells the animals of his vision for a utopian farm, they revolt against their owner Mr Jones, take control off the farm and

create a new society in which 'all animals are equal'. Based on George Orwell's novel about the rise of communism, this sinister and chilling stage adaptation is brought to life through use of puppetry, mask and storytelling. £12/10 conc. The Courtyard Theatre, Bowling Green Walk, 40 Pitfield Street, N1 6EU. **Info:** 020 7729 2202; [tickets@thecourtyard.org.uk](mailto:tickets@thecourtyard.org.uk); [www.thecourtyard.org.uk/whatson/619/animal-farm](http://www.thecourtyard.org.uk/whatson/619/animal-farm)

### WELCOME TO HEART MAKE HOTEL

**25 Feb, 7-11pm**

Host My Loveridge leads the love-themed musical bingo special. Instead of shouting out numbers, they shout out songs. Bingo-ers will be treated to rounds such as 'Love is the Message' and 'Karaoke Classics'. Pizza East Kitchen will be serving up delicious slices on the night. £12. Ages 18+. Concrete, 56 Shoreditch High Street, E1 6JJ. **Info:** 020 7749 1883; [charlotte@concretespace.co.uk](mailto:charlotte@concretespace.co.uk); [www.concretespace.co.uk](http://www.concretespace.co.uk)

[concretespace.co.uk/events/musical-bingo-valentines-day-ball](http://concretespace.co.uk/events/musical-bingo-valentines-day-ball)



### FLORENCE & THE MACHINE

**26 Feb, 7pm till late**

British indie rock band Florence & The Machine play an intimate gig to raise money for War Child, a charity dedicated to providing protection to children caught in conflict. Premium tickets available only via email. Ages 18+. St John-at-Hackney Church, Lower Clapton Road, E5 0PD. **Info:** [viptickets@warchild.org.uk](mailto:viptickets@warchild.org.uk); [www.warchildpassport.org/](http://www.warchildpassport.org/)

### BEAR JOKES COMEDY

**3 Mar, 7.45-10pm**

Bear Jokes entertainment presents eight, often award-



Events info can also be viewed  
on the Council's website:  
[www.hackney.gov.uk/whatson](http://www.hackney.gov.uk/whatson)

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## PREVIEW

### TyphoonEAST

4-6 March, Rich Mix, 35-47 Bethnal Green Road, E1 6LA

OVER the last two decades, the independent theatre company Yellow Earth has built a sterling reputation, touring the country with new work by East Asian writers from China to Singapore via Japan and Vietnam.

This year, to celebrate its 21st birthday, it is presenting a weekend of outstanding new work, split between two London locations. TyphoonWEST is based at the Soho Theatre, while TyphoonEAST takes over the Rich Mix from 4 to 6 March with six exciting plays. From Don Nguyen's 'Red Flamboyant',

documenting the first Vietnamese AIDS support group, to Jessica Huang's 'Purple Cloud', which looks at three generations of mixed race Chinese immigrants, the festival is a rare opportunity to catch a wonderfully eclectic range of work from this dynamic corner of the globe.

Tickets to individual performances taking place during TyphoonEAST cost £10 or £7 in advance while a full day's pass costs £12, and a weekend pass is £25.

To find out more and to book tickets visit: [www.richmix.org.uk](http://www.richmix.org.uk)

winning, new comedians in London, hand-picked by MC and host Andy Quirk. Line-up includes Comedy Store King Gong winner Jon Long and Britain's Got Talent semi-finalist, Gatis Kandis. Free, with a 'pay what you like at the end of the night' policy. Ages 18+. Pub On The Park, 19 Martello Street, London Fields, E8 3PE. **Info: 020 7923 3398; [www.pubonthepark.com/events/](http://www.pubonthepark.com/events/)**

#### THE MARVELLOUS ADVENTURES OF MARY SEACOLE

9-11 Mar, 7.30-8.30pm

Acclaimed show about Mary Seacole, written and performed by Hackney resident Cleo Sylvestre. An hour-long, one-woman show based on the autobiography of the famed nurse. Seacole was a Jamaican woman of Scottish and African descent who set up a 'British Hotel' behind the lines

during the Crimean War. Gala performance with Q & A and rum punch on 11 Mar. £13/11 conc. Ages 10+. Rosemary Branch Theatre, Shepperton Road, N1 3DT. **Info: 020 7704 6665; [www.rosemarybranch.co.uk](http://www.rosemarybranch.co.uk)**



#### MOVEMENT & ART WORKSHOPS

Until 12 Mar, every Sat,  
10am-1pm

Take part in a series of creative workshops for families. Each session will include a physical warm-up, an art task and a movement task. Led by guest artists from the Space Artist Commissions Programme. £5.

Ages 8+. Space, 129-131 Mare Street, E8 3RH. **Info: [persilia@spacestudios.org.uk](mailto:persilia@spacestudios.org.uk); [www.spacestudios.org.uk/news/movement-art-workshops-for-young-people-and-carers/](http://www.spacestudios.org.uk/news/movement-art-workshops-for-young-people-and-carers/)**

#### GEFFRYE EXPLORERS

Every Sat, 12.30-4.30pm

Investigate seven mystery objects in the museum's feely box, explore the museum's 20th century chair gallery, play games, make masks, headdresses and more for an afternoon of fun activities for children aged 11 and under. The Geffrye Museum, 136 Kingsland Road, E2 8EA. **Info: 020 7739 9893; [www.geffrye-museum.org.uk/whatson/events-calendar/](http://www.geffrye-museum.org.uk/whatson/events-calendar/)**

#### DISCO LOCO

6 Mar, 2-5pm

Hackney's wild family party adopts a tropical theme with



blow up palm trees, beach snacks, tropical cocktails, hula skirts and Caribbean food while guest DJ Sancho Panza spins house music, all before the kids' bedtime. £3 for adults and kids. Babies go free. All ages. Hackney Showroom, Hackney Downs Studios, Amhurst Terrace, E8 2BT. **Info: 020 3095 9747; [hello@hackneyshowroom.com](mailto:hello@hackneyshowroom.com); [www.hackneyshowroom.com/discolocotropical](http://www.hackneyshowroom.com/discolocotropical)**

#### TAKE CONTROL OF YOUR CAREER

8 Mar, 6-8.30pm

Discuss your aspirations and get advice from experienced professionals on how you can get on the path to your chosen career. Free. Ages 13-19 (up to 25 with support needs). The Edge, 7 Woodberry Grove, N4 1ST. **Info: 020 8356 1063; [info@hackney.gov.uk](mailto:info@hackney.gov.uk); [www.younghackney.org](http://www.younghackney.org)**

#### INSPIRING YOUNG HACKNEY WOMEN

8 Mar, 6.30-9pm

A question and answer session with female panellists working in traditionally male roles, followed by a 'speed-dating'-style event, giving younger women an opportunity to talk to speakers in smaller groups, followed by a chance to network. Part of Hackney Opportunities Fortnight. Free. All ages. Hackney Town Hall, Mare Street, E8 1EA. **Info: 020 8356 7404; [jane.ball@hackney.gov.uk](mailto:jane.ball@hackney.gov.uk)**



#### THE HISTORY OF WHISKY

24 Feb, 7.30-10.30pm

Join us for a lovely evening of whisky tasting from the UK to Japan, exploring why it was first distilled, how it rose in popularity, and how the varying methods and location of its distilling helps create the

varied flavours. Also learn how to properly taste whisky to get the best appreciation and there will be chocolate to cleanse the pallet between each tasting. £15. Ages 18+. Machine No.3, 271 Well Street, E9 6RG. **Info: 07779 003 327; [bookings@machineno3.com](mailto:bookings@machineno3.com); [www.machineno3.com](http://www.machineno3.com)**

#### BREATHE

26 Feb-20 Mar, various times

Breathe is a three-week festival celebrating air, the element which we all share, and takes place within an ancient, sacred building. Hear inspirational performances from artists, musicians, dancers and storytellers responding to the themes of breath, wind and air. Free. All ages. The Old Church, Stoke Newington Church Street, N16 9ES. **Info: [info@theoldchurch.org.uk](mailto:info@theoldchurch.org.uk); [www.theoldchurch.org.uk/breathe](http://www.theoldchurch.org.uk/breathe)**



#### MOSQUE OPEN DAY

28 Feb, 11am-2pm/2-5pm

Learn more about the Muslim community at an open day involving tours of the North London Mosque followed by presentations, an exhibition, witness live prayers, refreshments, and Q&As to learn and understand more about

day-to-day activities and the mosque's role in society. Open to people of all faiths and none. Free. All ages. 70-72 Cazenove Road, Stamford Hill, N16 6AA. **Info: 07563 865 579; [events@masjidequba.org.uk](mailto:events@masjidequba.org.uk)**

#### SPRING POP-UP SHOP

1-6 Mar, 12noon-6pm

A week-long pop-up featuring The Hackney Shop's new '2 to Pigalle' Spring '16 collection and a chance to grab pieces from previous collections with other fun events throughout the week and a party after the pop-up on 4 Mar. Free entry. The Hackney Shop, 99 Morning Lane, E9 6ND. **Info: [info@thehackneyshop.com](mailto:info@thehackneyshop.com); [www.facebook.com/events/1559976007656746/](http://www.facebook.com/events/1559976007656746/)**

#### IN HONOUR OF MUMS

6 Mar, 3-5pm

This Mother's Day, why not treat the special woman in your life to an exclusive afternoon tea. Receive a glass of bubbly on arrival, a selection of homemade gourmet sandwiches, cakes, pastries, teas, coffees and juices. All mums go away with a goody bag. All ages. £25/15 children/100 for six inc two children. Kimos Restaurant & Wine Bar, 184 Stoke Newington High Street, N16 7JD. **Info: 07751 986 992; [info@mochicevents.co.uk](mailto:info@mochicevents.co.uk); [www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/in-honour-of-mums-an-exclusive-mothers-day-afternoon-tea-tickets-21318739925](http://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/in-honour-of-mums-an-exclusive-mothers-day-afternoon-tea-tickets-21318739925)**

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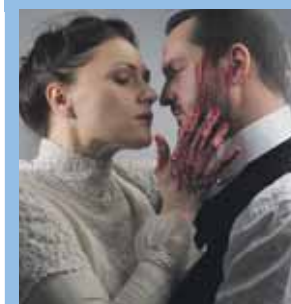
Important information for submissions

To submit your listing to What's On for publication in Hackney Today and on the Council website, fill in the e-form at: [www.hackney.gov.uk/whatson](http://www.hackney.gov.uk/whatson)

Please see the guidance notes on the website for further information.

We reserve the right to edit any material. No submission is guaranteed a listing.

## Competitions



**Hackney Today  
offered readers  
a chance to win  
tickets for ETO's Don  
Giovanni**

The lucky winner was M Lowther, E5



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# education



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Former US President Bill Clinton meets City Year UK corps members at Haggerston School during a visit last year

## A cross-Atlantic link

**H**ACKNEY and Harlem students have been hanging out together, thanks to a video link-up in Canary Wharf.

The charity City Year, which gives young adults year-long volunteering programmes in inner city schools, has been working with Daubeney primary and Mossbourne Parkside Academy, as well as James Weldon Johnson Leadership Academy in East Harlem, New York.

Through its partnership with Credit Suisse, the charity was able to bring the six to 12-year-olds together, via a video link

**“We were very pleased to host pupils and City Year UK volunteers to strengthen ties”**

at the bank's Canary Wharf offices.

The Hackney students brought posters they had designed to illustrate

British culture and values, as well as famous places in the capital. The children from New York described their favourite places and

asked questions about the Queen and infamous British weather.

The students from London, meanwhile, wanted to know what Thanksgiving was like. Pupils on both sides of the Atlantic were united in their ambition to become football or 'soccer' players when they grew up.

Kate Butchart, Head of Corporate Citizenship EMEA at Credit Suisse, said: “We were very pleased to host the pupils and City Year UK volunteers to strengthen their ties with each other and their counterparts in the USA.”



Mr Clinton was given a City Year UK T-shirt for his granddaughter

## News in brief



Baden Powell Primary pupils are signing up for the run

### Schools invited to take part in the half marathon challenge

ON YOUR marks, get set, go! It's time to sign up for the third annual Vitality Run Hackney Half Marathon Schools' Challenge.

Last year, 986 pupils took part, covering the equivalent of a half marathon by running a mile a week, for 12 weeks, in the build up to the big event.

This year, it is hoped that a record 1,250 children from more than 30 local schools will get involved, culminating in a final mile-long race together, on 8 May.

Cllr Jonathan McShane, Cabinet Member for Health, Social Care and Culture, said: “The children love being cheered across the finishing line by the crowds and you can see they are really proud of what they have achieved. In the longer term, I hope the challenge will leave a lasting impression on the children – that exercise isn't just good for you, it can be great fun too.”

To take part, e-mail: [jennifersilcox@achieveevents.com](mailto:jennifersilcox@achieveevents.com). It costs £10 to enter each pupil, and all school children will receive a T-shirt to wear on the day, plus a goody bag and medal once they cross the finish line to commemorate their achievement.



Tottenham Road Board School, now De Beauvoir primary

## Former pupils urged to share classroom memories

DE BEAUVOIR primary needs you! The N1 school is embarking on an ambitious oral history project in partnership with the Institute of Education.

Its pupils hope to learn about life at the school throughout its history, dating back to the Second World War. They are looking for residents who are

willing to share their stories, photos and recollections of De Beauvoir's vibrant past.

“The children are so excited,” said Interim Headteacher Sophie Blume. Adding: “We have already shared some photos from the 1970s with them, but know that there is so much more history out there in the community. The expertise

of the Institute of Education will ensure that we get the best out of the project.”

The institute is training the school's staff to use historical sources and advising on how best to conduct an oral history project. The project will run until early July.

“We have already found a couple of parents, a

member of staff and another headteacher in Hackney who went to the school as children. Now we need to find as many former pupils as possible to get involved,” Sophie said.

For more info, visit: [www.debeauvoir.hackney.sch.uk/website](http://www.debeauvoir.hackney.sch.uk/website); or e-mail: [historyproject@debeauvoir.hackney.sch.uk](mailto:historyproject@debeauvoir.hackney.sch.uk)





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Pupils from Simon Marks Jewish Primary School and Daubeney Primary School enjoying the Institute of Imagination's workshops

# A big ideas factory

**C**HILDREN and families in Hackney have been getting creative during a two-day 'Festival of Imagination'.

Over 850 youngsters, parents and teachers attended the event at Chats Palace, E9, from 9 to 14 February.

It was the finale of a week-long takeover by the Institute of Imagination and partners, which worked with local schools to create a space where children's ideas could thrive.

Festival-goers were invited to imagine, invent,

Experiences included building a wild seasonal forest using cardboard and fabric



experiment and enjoy the creative freedom, materials, technology and space to bring their ideas to life.

A range of free activities were on offer for five to 11-year-olds and their families. These included building a wild forest using cardboard, paper and fabric; exploring how human beings' vision works with neuroscientists; making a stop-frame animation about the future; and creating interactive musical drawings, which became part of an orchestral performance.

For more info, visit: [www.ioi.london](http://www.ioi.london)

## News in brief

### Careers advisers gain insight into a variety of digital jobs

MORE than 100 careers advisers, teachers and other professionals, who influence young people's post-16 choices, found out about tech jobs and apprenticeships at an event at new digital quarter, Here East, in the Queen Elizabeth Olympic Park.

'Digital on the Park', organised in partnership with leaders in the development of career opportunities in East London, combined talks, showcases and interactive workshops to help attendees give more informed advice to the young people they work with.

Workshops included social media dos and don'ts for young job-seekers with Hiive; basic coding from O2 Think Big; and a question time with current apprentices. Visitors had a go using virtual reality headsets and 3D doodlers thanks to Dragon Hall Tech Hub.

There was also a chance to tour the BT Sport Studio – the UK's largest, highest spec TV studio – and find out about BT's commitment to supporting local people into jobs in the media, and making sure their workforce reflects the local community. Plus digital creative experts Poke were on hand to tell the story of the brand development of Here East.

Events are now being planned for creative, digital and tech companies which would be interested in hiring apprentices, and for young people to find out about jobs and apprenticeships in these areas.

To register an interest in these events or to find out more, e-mail: [OnThePark@hackney.ac.uk](mailto:OnThePark@hackney.ac.uk)



Visitors have a go at using virtual reality headsets

## Industry insiders offer support on how to work in technology sector



Creative tech careers include designing computer games

YOUNG residents will get a taste of the tech and digital industries and learn about career opportunities at a free event next month.

The Council has teamed up with a host of partners to launch the 'Get Into Tech' event on 10 March, from 4pm to 9pm.

Taking place at BL-NK in Shoreditch, the home of

Tech City, the event for 14 to 24-year-olds will feature a selection of leading local businesses, universities, and industry insiders, all with advice and support for young people wanting to break into the sector.

The event will also include workshops and talks looking at app

development, mentoring for those with business ideas, advice on the skills, training and education needed for all kinds of tech careers, and how it plays a part in everyday life.

Plus there will also be hands-on digital film and music demonstrations and opportunities to build programmable robots.

There is also an opportunity to enter a competition to design a computer game.

To register for a free ticket for the 'Get Into Tech' event, visit: [bit.ly/1PEXQ8o](http://bit.ly/1PEXQ8o).

For more information, e-mail: [business@hackney.gov.uk](mailto:business@hackney.gov.uk) or call: 020 8356 7818.



## The Mayor and councillors

Councillors are elected by Hackney residents and serve for four years. The last borough elections took place in May 2014.

Councillors have a range of responsibilities, including helping to oversee the Council and

its services. They hold advice surgeries where residents can meet their local representative and ask them to take up issues that may be of concern. Generally they can help with Council related matters, but if the issue is the

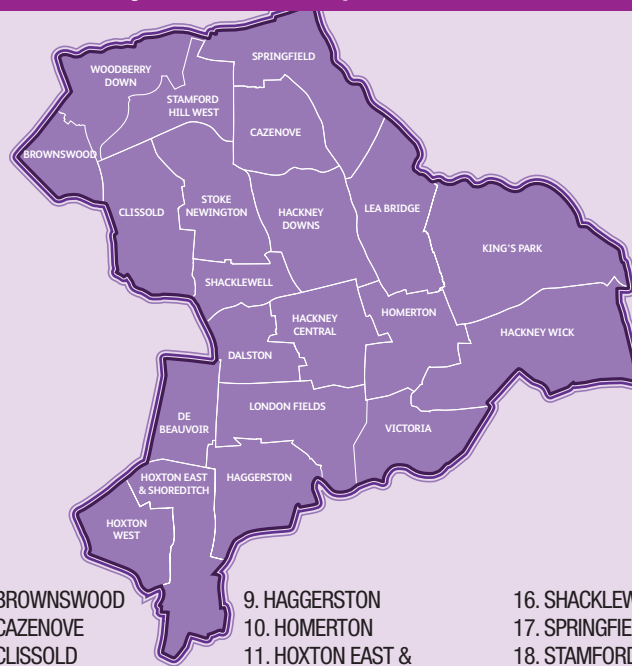
responsibility of another person or organisation, councillors can often point people in the right direction and tell residents who they need to see. Hackney has 57 councillors representing areas called wards – see map below.



**MAYOR JULES PIPE**

Hackney has an executive Mayor, Jules Pipe, who is not a councillor, but is directly elected by the entire borough. The Mayor is the political leader of the Council, overseeing the budget and all Council services. Civic and ceremonial duties are undertaken by the Speaker of Hackney who is elected annually from among the borough's 57 councillors. The current Speaker is Cllr Sade Etti.

## Hackney's wards in alphabetical order



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|--------------------|------------------------------|------------------------|
| 1. BROWNWOOD       | 9. HAGERSTON                 | 16. SHACKLEWELL        |
| 2. CAZENOVE        | 10. HOMERTON                 | 17. SPRINGFIELD        |
| 3. CLISSOLD        | 11. HOXTON EAST & SHOREDITCH | 18. STAMFORD HILL WEST |
| 4. DALSTON         | 12. HOXTON WEST              | 19. STOKE NEWINGTON    |
| 5. DE BEAUVOIR     | 13. KING'S PARK              | 20. VICTORIA           |
| 6. HACKNEY CENTRAL | 14. LEA BRIDGE               | 21. WOODBERRY DOWN     |
| 7. HACKNEY DOWNS   | 15. LONDON FIELDS            |                        |
| 8. HACKNEY WICK    |                              |                        |

### 1. BROWNWOOD



**Cllr Brian Bell**  
1st Thurs each month  
7-8pm, The Kings Crescent Estate Community Centre, Queens Drive, N4 2XD.



**Cllr Clare Potter**  
2nd Sat each month  
10.30-11.30am, Azalea Court Community Hall, Alexandra Mews, N4 2LB.

### 6. HACKNEY CENTRAL



**Cllrs Sophie Linden, Ben Hayhurst & Vincent Stops** (on a rota basis)  
1st Sat each month  
11am-12noon, Room 37a, Hackney Town Hall, E8 1EA.



3rd Sat each month  
11am-12noon, Wilton Estate Community Hall, Greenwood Road, E8 1BE.



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[ben.hayhurst@hackney.gov.uk](mailto:ben.hayhurst@hackney.gov.uk);  
[vincent.stops@hackney.gov.uk](mailto:vincent.stops@hackney.gov.uk)

### 2. CAZENOVE



**Cllr Dawood Akhoun**  
1st & 3rd Thurs each month  
6.30-7.30pm, North London Muslim Community Centre, 68 Cazenove Road, N16 6AA.



**Cllr Abraham Jacobson**  
2nd Wed each month  
6.30-7.15pm, North London Muslim Community Centre, 68 Cazenove Road, N16 6AA.



**Cllr Ian Sharer**  
1st & 3rd Thurs each month  
10.30-11.30am, North London Muslim Community Centre, 68 Cazenove Road, N16 6AA.

### 7. HACKNEY DOWNS



**Cllrs Michael Desmond, Anna-Joy Rickard & Rick Muir**



**Cllr Desmond**  
1st Sun each month  
11am-12noon, Luncheon Club, 19 Olympus Square, E5.  
No surgery on 3 January



**Cllrs Rickard & Muir**  
2nd Sun each month  
11am-12noon, Landfield Community Hall, Landfield Estate, Clapton, E5 8QZ.  
Call: 07875 546 155.



4th Sun each month  
Roving surgery.

### 3. CLISSOLD



**Cllrs Sophie Cameron, Ned Hercoc & Sade Etti**



1st Mon each month  
(on a rota basis)  
6.30-7.30pm, Stoke Newington Library, Stoke Newington Church Street, N16 0JS.



3rd weekend each month  
Roving surgery. All cllrs.

Contact these cllrs on: [clissold@hackney.gov.uk](mailto:clissold@hackney.gov.uk); or: 020 8356 3373.

### 8. HACKNEY WICK



**Cllrs Chris Kennedy, Jess Webb & Nick Sharman** (on a rota basis)  
1st Sun each month  
12noon-1pm, Wick OAP Hall, Lavington Close, Trowbridge Estate, E9.



Contact Cllr Kennedy on: 07730 883 190.



### 4. DALSTON



**Cllrs Soraya Adejare & Peter Snell** (on a rota basis)  
1st Thurs & 3rd Fri each month  
6.30-7.30pm, Dalston CLR James Library, Dalston Square, London, E8 3BQ.



2nd Sat of each month  
3-4pm, Dalston CLR James Library, Dalston Square, E8 3BQ.

### 9. HAGERSTON



**Cllrs Barry Buitekant, Jonathan McShane & Ann Munn** (on a rota basis)  
1st Thurs each month  
6-7pm, Haggerston Community Centre, 8 Lovelace Street, E8 4FF.



3rd Fri each month  
10-11am, Fellows Court Community Centre, Weymouth Terrace, E2 8LR.



3rd Sat each month  
10-11am, Regents Pensioners Hall, 33 Brougham Rd, E8 4PD.

### 5. DE BEAUVOIR



**Cllrs Laura Bunt & James Peters** (on a rota basis)  
2nd Sat each month  
11am-12noon, café in the precinct behind the Rose Lipman Building, Trinity Court, De Beauvoir Estate (off Downham Road), N1.



Contact Cllr Peters on: [james.peters@hackney.gov.uk](mailto:james.peters@hackney.gov.uk); or: 07748 629 977.  
Contact Cllr Bunt via members services on: 020 8356 3373.

### 10. HOMERTON



**Cllrs Robert Alan Chapman, Guy Nicholson, Sally Mulready**  
1st Fri each month  
Roving surgery with all Homerton cllrs. Contact for further details.  
Cllr Chapman  
Call: 07821 330 532.



**Cllr Nicholson**  
3rd Fri each month  
6.30-7.30pm, Banister House Community Hall, Homerton High Street, E9 6BP.



**Cllr Mulready**  
Call: 07930 575 913.

### 11. HOXTON EAST & SHOREDITCH



**Cllrs Kam Adams, Feryal Demirci & Tom Ebbutt** (on a rota basis)  
1st Sat each month  
10.30-11.30am, Shoreditch Library, 80 Hoxton Street, N1 6LP.  
3rd Sat each month,  
11am-12noon, roving surgery.



### 14. LEA BRIDGE



**Cllrs Margaret Gordon, Ian Rathbone & Deniz Oguzkanli** (on a rota basis)  
1st Thurs each month  
6.30-7.30pm, St John Ambulance Hall, Mildenhall Road, E5.  
2nd Sat each month  
1.30-2.30pm, Venetia's Coffee Shop, 55 Chatsworth Road, E5 0LH.  
4th Sat each month  
10-11am, The Community Flat, Jack Watts Estate, 10 Detmold Road, E5.  
Call: 07890 654 068; or e-mail: [ian.rathbone@tiscali.co.uk](mailto:ian.rathbone@tiscali.co.uk)



### 19. STOKE NEWINGTON



**Cllrs Louisa Thomson, Susan Fajana-Thomas & Mete Coban** (on a rota basis)  
2nd Sat each month  
10-11am, Stoke Newington Library, Stoke Newington Church Street, N16 0JS.  
4th Sat each month,  
roving surgery, 11am-1pm.



### 12. HOXTON WEST



**Cllr Philip Glanville**  
3rd Wed each month  
6-7pm, Provost Community Hall, Murray Grove, N1 7QX.



**Cllr Claydon McKenzie**  
2nd Tues each month  
6-7pm, The Bell Club, Bowling Green Walk, 40 Pittfield Street, N1 6EU.



**Cllr Carole Williams**  
3rd Wed each month  
6-7pm, Provost Community Hall, Murray Grove, N1 7QX.

2nd Sun every other month  
Roving surgery.

### 15. LONDON FIELDS



**Cllrs Anntoinette Bramble, M Can Ozsen & Emma Plouviez** (on a rota basis)  
1st Thurs each month  
6-7pm, Queensbridge Leisure Centre, 30 Holly Street, E8 3XW.  
3rd Sat each month  
10-11am, Regents Pensioners Hall, 30 Brougham Rd, E8.



### 20. VICTORIA



**Cllrs Will Brett, Katie Hanson & Geoff Taylor**



**Cllrs Brett**  
1st Mon each month  
7-8pm, Pitcairn House Community Hall, St Thomas' Square, E9 6PT.



**Cllr Hanson**  
2nd Wed each month  
7-8pm, New Kingsfold Community Centre, 49 Ainsworth Road, E9 7JE.

**Cllr Taylor**  
3rd Wed each month  
2-3pm, Salvation Army Building, 70 Mare Street, E8 4RT.

### 13. KING'S PARK



**Cllrs Sharon Patrick, Tom Rahilly & Rebecca Rennison** (on a rota basis)  
1st Fri each month  
6.30-7.30pm, The Kabin, Kingsmead Way, E9 5QG.  
3rd Sat each month  
11am-12noon, Vi Forrester Hall, Gilpin Road, Clapton, E5 0LH.



### 16. SHACKLEWELL



**Cllrs Michelle Gregory & Richard Lufkin** (on a rota basis)  
1st Fri each month  
6-7pm, Dalston CLR James Library, Dalston Lane, E8 3BQ.



Monthly roving surgeries or meetings by prior arrangement.  
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### 21. WOODBERRY DOWN



**Cllrs Jon Burke & Caroline Selman** (on a rota basis)  
1st Sat each month  
10-11am, Joseph Court Community Hall, Amhurst Park, N16 5AJ.  
2nd Sat each month  
10-11am, Woodberry Down Community Organisation office, Unit 2c Rowan Apartments, Seven Sisters Road, N4 1NS.  
3rd Sun each month  
10-11am, Ben Simons Community Hall, Block 1-66, Lincoln Court, Bethune Road, N16.  
4th Thurs each month  
6.30-7.30pm, Amwell Court Community Hall, Portland Rise, N4 2NY.



These stories were compiled with the help of Homerton University Hospital, City & Hackney Clinical Commissioning Group & East London NHS Foundation Trust



Pictures: Holly Wren

Young people taking part in The Prince's Trust Fairbridge programme and, inset, Khiry, who now has a job after taking part in the scheme

# Get extra support

**Y**OUNG residents who are unemployed, or struggling at school, can find help from The Prince's Trust Fairbridge programme.

The charity offers one-to-one support and group activities for 13 to 25-year-olds who may have experienced mental health issues, homelessness, lived in care, or been in trouble with the law. The scheme helps develop the skills needed to get lives back on track.

After completing a five-day access course, young people can take part in a range of challenging and

**“I'm now more confident and sociable and feel a lot happier in myself”**

adventurous activities, including a residential trip.

The programme continues for as long as it is needed and, once ready, young people will be supported to reach their goals, such as finding a job, going to college, and getting into training or volunteering.

Travel costs are covered, lunch is provided and participants' benefits will not be affected.

Khiry, 23, had to deal with the death of his mum at the age of 10, which affected his behaviour at school and led to depression. He found himself unemployed for four years, not knowing where to turn for help.

He says: “When I came across The Prince's Trust, I was sceptical. But I thought that if I put the hard work in, then something will come good at the end.”

After a visit to a Trust centre in Poplar, staff signed him up for the Fairbridge programme. Regular one-to-ones helped boost his confidence and slowly he started to trust people again. Khiry says: “I'm now more sociable and feel a lot happier in myself.”

Khiry now works at his local supermarket and is a Young Ambassador for The Prince's Trust.

## MORE INFO

Call Rachel Elton on: **07943 522148**; or  
e-mail: **rachel.elton@princes-trust.org.uk**

## News in brief

### Swimming courses on offer

HACKNEY adults have been offered an opportunity to learn to swim and even compete in an event at the London 2016 European Aquatics Championships.

Swim London 2016 is open to over-18s in the boroughs closest to the Queen Elizabeth Olympic Park: Hackney, Waltham Forest, Newham and Tower Hamlets.

Three 12-week swimming courses are being held in each area and those who signed up are training for a team relay event in the former Olympic pool.

Tracey Primus, a Hackney resident who has signed up, said: “I can't lie, I am a little anxious about my swimming lessons and I am not sure how they are going to prise me from the side of the pool. But I am looking forward to being part of the project. I can't wait to jump in the sea with my nephew for the first time this summer. I am tired of watching from the sidelines. I am going to go from cheerleader to fear-leader!”

The first lessons started on 6 February. To get involved follow **@SwimHackney** on Twitter.



### Daring firewalkers wanted

SOME like it hot, but could you walk barefoot over embers that reach 670 degrees celsius?

That's what St Joseph's Hospice, in Mare Street, is inviting people to do on 16 March. It is holding a charity firewalk that aims to help thousands of people across East London who use the hospice's services.

Those who sign up will receive training from experts at the charity firewalking organisation Blaze.

Participants will receive an event certificate and T-shirt once they cross the finishing line.

For more information on taking part, e-mail: **a.lee@stjh.org.uk** or call: **020 8525 6000**.

## Residents given a say on priorities for health and social care services



Picture: Gary Manhine

Attendees at the event at the Tomlinson Centre

IT was a full house at the Tomlinson Centre as more than 150 residents, patient representatives, carers, members of voluntary and community sector groups, and staff from City and Hackney Clinical Commissioning Group (CCG) and the Council came together to talk about health and social care

priorities for the coming year.

It was the first time the CCG and Council have hosted the event together, reflecting their commitment to work more closely to commission and provide services in the borough.

After finding out more about how services have been performing over the

past year, as well as some of the financial challenges ahead, attendees broke off into smaller groups to discuss what they wanted to see delivered in key areas such as Adult Social Care, Maternity, Mental Health and GP services.

Feedback from these sessions will be used to develop a joint

commissioning intentions plan for 2016/17.

Hackney's health devolution and integration pilot was also introduced and debated. Presentations from the night, as well as more information on how you can get involved can be found at: **www.cityandhackneccg.nhs.uk/have-your-say/events**



## NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR PLANNING PERMISSION

### Under Article 15 Of The Town and Country Planning (Development Management Procedure) (England) Order 2015 The Town And Country Planning Act 1990 (As Amended)

**Date of notice: 22-Feb-2016**

In accordance with the above act and related legislation, notice is hereby given that the application forms, plans and other documents submitted in relation to the proposal noted below may be examined at the London Legacy Development Corporation reception Level 10, 1 Stratford Place, Montfichet Road, London E20 1EJ. The reception is open from 09:00 – 17:00 Monday to Friday by appointment only telephone number 020 3288 8820. The above documents are also available to view and/or download from the Planning Register on the Planning Policy and Decisions Team website <http://planningregister.londonlegacy.co.uk>.

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Alternatively comments can be made by email to: [planningenquiries@londonlegacy.co.uk](mailto:planningenquiries@londonlegacy.co.uk). Comments should be submitted within 21 days of the date of this notice and should be received by 13-Mar-2016.

Application Reference No: 15/00516/ ADV Application Site: Olympic Stadium, Queen Elizabeth Olympic Park, London Description of Proposal: Advertisement consent for 4 no. internally illuminated marquee signs on the compression truss of the north, east, south and west elevations to each measure 3 metres in height and 49.3 metres in width; signage to be illuminated between 09:00-23:00 every day (365 days of the year). **Applicant's name:** West Ham United Football Club Limited Dated: 22-Feb-2016; **Authorised by:** Anthony Hollingsworth **On Behalf of:** London Legacy Development Corporation, Planning Policy and Decisions Team.



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Application Reference No: 14/00262/ FUL Application Site: 60 Dace Road, Swan Wharf, Fish Island, London, E3 2NQ Description of Proposal: Redevelopment to comprise partial demolition and retention of facades to existing warehouse buildings fronting onto Dace Road with new 2 / 3 storey extensions above, and construction of new buildings, with maximum heights of between 4 and 6 storeys (+27.11m AOD approx.); all to accommodate 1,734sqm (GIA) approx. of commercial floorspace (Use Class A1, A2, A3, A4, A5 and B1) and 37 residential units; with ancillary cycle parking, car parking and landscaping works and other associated works. Application includes partial demolition and construction works in the Fish Island Conservation Area. **Applicant's name:** Constable Homes Ltd Dated: 22-Feb-2016; **Authorised by:** Anthony Hollingsworth **On Behalf of:** London Legacy Development Corporation, Planning Policy and Decisions Team.



# So what's stopping you?

You can now recycle more in Hackney.

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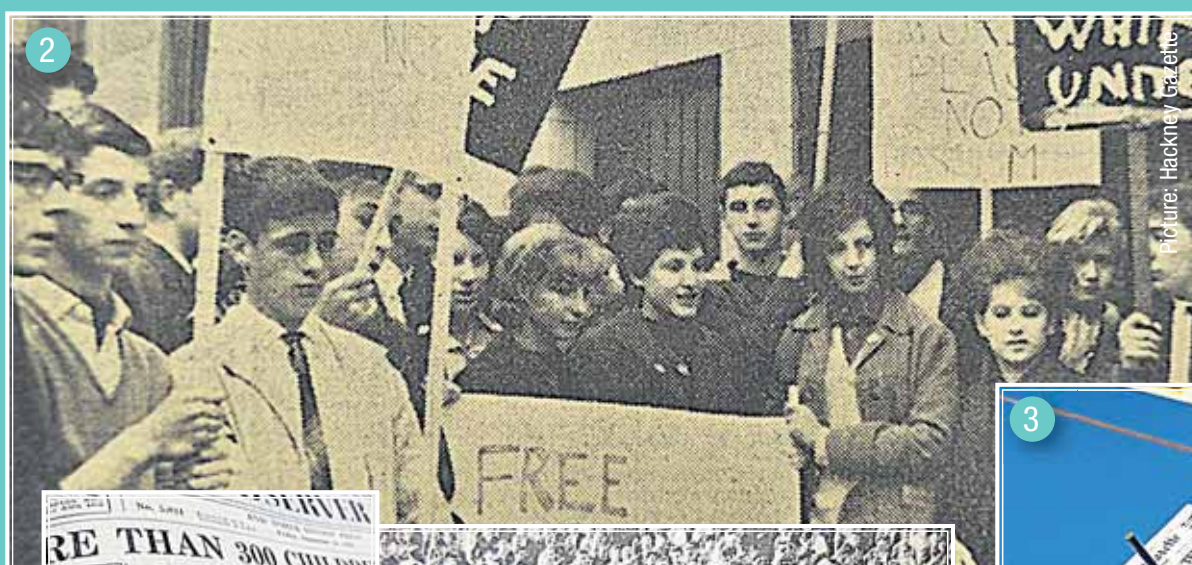
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Picture: Stoke Newington and Hackney Observer



Picture: Hackney Gazette



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Picture: Visual Marvelry

1. Yellow Star Movement member John Bristow camps out in John Campbell Road, Dalston, to prevent a BNP meeting in 1962; 2. The silent march, organised by local youth clubs; 3. A Hackney teenager inspired by the protest writes a letter; 4. Thousands gather in Ridley Road to prevent a speech by Sir Oswald Mosley; 5. A newspaper from Hackney Archives containing an article about the silent march to Whitehall; 6. Reverend Bill Sargent, one of the founders of the Yellow Star Movement

# The peaceful protesters

By Rebecca Odell

On 12 September 1962, 400 young people marched in silence from Ridley Road, in Dalston, to Whitehall calling for incitement of racial hatred to be made a crime. This peaceful protest stood out against the backdrop of violent demonstrations and riots at the time.

In 1962, frustrations were at an all-time high following the inability of authorities to prevent Sir Oswald Mosley, founder of the British Union of Fascists, and associated groups holding frequent rallies in Dalston. For seven years, MPs had been trying to get a bill through Parliament banning racial discrimination. Both Stoke Newington and Hackney borough councils held special meetings asking

the Government to take immediate steps to ban organisations that preached racial discrimination. But with the House of Commons continuing to fail to act, an editorial in *The Sunday Telegraph* declared: "The only way racial minorities can put a stop to racial incitement is by breaking the law and causing disorder."

Central to this disorder was the anti-fascist Yellow Star Movement, in part founded by Reverend Bill Sargent, Vicar of Holy Trinity Church, Dalston. Originally created for peaceful protest, members wearing the Jewish Star of David would hold all-night vigils at locations, to prevent fascist meetings taking place.

However, the movement soon became associated with violent street brawls against fascists. Just one example on 2 September 1962 saw four men,

**"We agree with free speech, but we will never stand aside and allow people to incite racial hatred"**

believed to be members of Mosley's extreme right-wing National Union Movement or the fascist British National Party, beaten by a mob. The Yellow Star Movement had been camped out all day in Ridley Road to prevent a Mosley speech when the men were spotted and chased by 200 protesters.

Both the MP for Hackney Central and the Rector of St John-at-Hackney were booed when they told more than 1,000 people gathered at Hackney Town Hall that fighting fascism with violence was wrong. In particular, young people were linked to the violence.

The silent march in 1962

was the idea of members of the Stamford Hill Boys' and Girls' Club.

Four hundred youth club members from across Hackney and Stoke Newington gathered at Ridley Road before heading to Whitehall in central London. They would have made an impressive sight, walking the seven-and-a-half miles in a four-deep column that stretched nearly 50 yards long carrying banners reading 'Black and White Unite' and 'Free Speech Yes, Fascism No'.

Though some of the teenagers wore the yellow Star of David, there were no outbreaks of violence during the march.

Instead, they distributed leaflets showing the Christian cross, the Star of David, and two clasped hands. The leaflet read: "Hackney Youth demand that fascism be abolished. We agree with free speech, but we will never stand aside and allow people to incite racial hatred."

The march ended at Admiralty House, in Whitehall, where three protesters were met by a representative of the Prime Minister. They presented a letter from the young people of Hackney identifying incitement to racial hatred as the greatest issue they were facing within their lifetime.

Fast forward to 2016, and a group of Hackney teenagers have taken inspiration from this story to write similar letters about the greatest issues in their own lives. While in the 1960s, teenagers protested in silence, today

they make their voices heard through music.

With the help of youth music charity Rising Tide, 16 young men, aged 13 to 15, explored themes taken from their letters to create rap and song verses to tell their stories. This project is the focus of the upcoming Hackney Museum exhibition 'Home: Exploring Young Hackney Through Music' which opens on 25 February.

## MORE INFO

Do you remember this protest in 1962? Were you there? Hackney Museum wants to hear from you. Call: 020 8356 8925; e-mail: [hmuseum@hackney.gov.uk](mailto:hmuseum@hackney.gov.uk) For details about the exhibition Home: Exploring Young Hackney Through Music visit: [www.hackney.gov.uk/museum](http://www.hackney.gov.uk/museum)



LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY

ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATIONS ACT 1984 SECTION 14(1) AND 16A: PROPOSED AND MADE NOTICES  
ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 SECTION 14(1) AND 16A: NOTICES OF PROPOSED AND MADE ORDERS  
WE, THE LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY, GIVE NOTICE THAT WE INTEND TO MAKE THE FOLLOWING ORDERS IN THE FIRST PART OF THE TABLE BELOW, AND HAVE MADE THE ORDERS IN THE SECOND PART OF THE TABLE, IN EACH CASE FOR THE REASONS AND DURATION DATES STATED AND WITH ALTERNATIVE DIVERSION ROUTES AVAILABLE

ANDY CUNNINGHAM, HEAD OF STREETSCENE, 8 FEBRUARY 2016

PROPOSED RESTRICTION (PROPOSED NOTICE)

REF NO.	ROAD NAME	RESTRICTION	REASON	LOCATION	DIVERSION ROUTE	WORK START DATE	WORK END DATE
P2022-1	Abbot Street E8	Road Closure	Traffic Management Work	From its junction with Kingsland High Street to its junction with Ashwin Street	Via local signage	14-Mar-16	13-Jun-16
P2022	Ashwin Street E8	Road Closure	Traffic Management Work	From its junction with Abbot Street in a south westerly direction for a distance of 50 metres	Via local signage	14-Mar-16	13-Jun-16
P2019-1	Bridport Place N1	Footway Closure	Building Works	North East side, From its junction with Penn Street to its junction with Felton Street	Opposite side of Footway	07-Mar-16	30-May-18
P1996	East Road N1	Bus Lane Suspension	Crane Operation	North East side, From its junction with Brunswick Place to its junction with Chart Street	Not Required	12-Mar-16	13-Mar-16
P2016	Geldeston Road E5	Road Closure & Waiting Restriction	Traffic Calming Work	(1). From its junction with Alconbury Road in a north easterly direction to a point in line with the property boundary no 1 & 3 (2). From its junction with Northwold Road in a south westerly direction to a point in line with the property boundary no 36 & 38	Via local signage	15-Mar-16	31-Mar-16
P2003	King John Court EC2A	Road Closure	Crane Operation	From its junction with Holywell Lane to its junction with New Inn Yard	Via local signage	20-Mar-16	20-Mar-16
P2023	Kyverdale Road N16	Waiting & Loading Restriction	Gas Works	Both sides, From a point in line with the property boundary no 54 & 56 in a north easterly direction to a point in line with the property boundary no 62 & Masifta Synagogue	Not Required	21-Mar-16	24-Mar-16
P2024-1	Mildenhall Road E5	Footway Closure	Building Works	South east side, From its junction with Millfields Road in a north easterly direction for a distance of 25 metres	Opposite side of Footway	07-Mar-16	06-Mar-17
P2024	Millfields Road E5	Footway Closure	Building Works	North east side, From its junction with Mildenhall Road in a south easterly direction for a distance of 27 metres	Opposite side of Footway	07-Mar-16	06-Mar-17
P2015	New North Place EC2A	Road Closure	Gas Works	From its junction with Luke Street to its junction with Scrutton Street	Via local signage	08-Mar-16	11-Mar-16
P2017	Oldfield Road N16	Road Closure	Traffic Calming Work	From its junction with Painsthorpe Road to its junction with Barbauld Road	Via local signage	15-Mar-16	23-Mar-16
P2019	Penn Street N1	Footway Closure	Building Works	North Side, From its junction with Bridport Place in a easterly direction for a distance of 75 metres	Opposite side of Footway	07-Mar-16	30-May-18
P2020	Penn Street N1	Temporary Suspension of Existing Zebra Crossing	Building Works	From its junction with Bridport Place in a easterly direction for a distance of 9 metres	Not Required	07-Mar-16	30-May-18
P2021	Plough Yard EC2A	Road Closure	UKPN Works	From its junction with Hearn Street in a north easterly direction for a distance of 25 metres	Via local signage	19-Mar-16	10-Apr-16
P2020-1	Poole Street N1	Temporary Introduction of Zebra Crossing	Building Works	From its junction with Bridport Place in a south westerly direction for a distance of 14 metres	Not Required	07-Mar-16	30-May-18

CONFIRMED RESTRICTION (MADE NOTICE)

P1988	Adley Street E5	Road closure & Waiting Restriction	Thames Water Works	Both Sides, From its junction with Meeson Street to its junction with Homerton Road	Via local signage	29-Feb-16	13-Apr-16
P2004	Blackall Street EC2A	Road Closure	Drainage Connection Work	From its junction with Paul Street to its junction with Ravey Street	Via local signage	22-Feb-16	21-Mar-16
P2001	Brett Road E8	Road Closure	Gas Works	From its junction with Brett Passage to a point in line with the property boundary no 7 & 9	Via local signage	22-Feb-16	26-Feb-16
P2008	Charlotte Road EC2A	Road Closure & Introduction of Two way Traffic	Crane Operation	From its junction with Great Eastern Street to its junction with Rivington Street	Via local signage	27-Feb-16	01-May-16
P2002	Clifton Street EC2A	Road Closure	Utilities Infrastructure Work	From its junction with Christopher Street to its junction with Dysart Street	Via local signage	29-Feb-16	10-Apr-16
P1999	Digby Road E9	Road Closure	Crane Operation	From its junction with Homerton High Street in a south easterly direction for a distance of 50 metres	Via local signage	29-Feb-16	29-Feb-16
P1994	Eastway E9	Banned Turns	Telecoms Works	Left turn at its junction with Homerton Road	Via local signage	03-Mar-16	05-Mar-16
P1983	Gascoyne Road E9	Road Closure & Introduction of Two way Traffic	Traffic Calming Work	(1). Between points 44 metres and 80 metres south west of its junction with Harrowgate Road (2). From its junction with Harrowgate Road to its junction with Bradstock Road	Via local signage	29-Feb-16	14-Mar-16
P1990	Glyn Road E5	Road closure	Thames Water Works	Both Sides, From its Junction with Homerton High Street to its junction with Ashenden Road	Via local signage	01-Mar-16	16-Apr-16
P1963	Hoxton Street N1	Road Closure	Traffic Management Work	From its junction with Crondall Street to its junction with Hamond Square	Via local signage	22-Feb-16	16-May-16
P2007	Luke Street EC2A	Road Closure & Introduction of Two way Traffic	Virgin Media Works	From its junction with Phipp Street to its junction with Curtain Road	Via local signage	25-Feb-16	29-Feb-16
P1963-1	Nuttall Street	Road Closure	Traffic Management Work	From its junction with Hoxton Street in a north easterly direction for a distance of 20 metres	Via local signage	22-Feb-16	16-May-16
P1991	Oswald Street E5	Waiting & Loading Restriction	Gas Works	Both sides, From a point in line with the south western property boundary no 2 ( Children's Home) to a point in line with the property boundary no 4 & 6 ( Girl's Hostel)	Not Required	22-Feb-16	26-Feb-16
P1956	Paul Street EC2A	Road Closure & Introduce temporary two way traffic	Vodafone Works	(1). From its junction with Worship Street in a north easterly direction for a distance of 15 metres (2). From its junction with Worship Street to its junction with Scrutton Street	Via local signage	27-Feb-16	28-Feb-16
P1963-2	Purcell Street	Road Closure	Traffic Management Work	From its junction with Hoxton Street in a westerly direction for a distance of 15 metres	Via local signage	22-Feb-16	16-May-16
P1963-3	Shenfield Street	Road Closure	Traffic Management Work	From its junction with Hoxton Street in a easterly direction for a distance of 15 metres	Via local signage	22-Feb-16	16-May-16
P1913	Trehurst Street E5	Footway Closure	Thames Water Works	Both sides, From its junction with Marsh Hill to its junction with Meeson Street	Via local signage	02-Mar-16	25-Apr-16
P1998	Underwood Street N1	Road Closure	Cherry Picker	From a point in line with the property boundary no 24 & 26 to a point in line with the property boundary no 28 & 30	Via local signage	22-Feb-16	20-Mar-16
P2006	Warburton Road E8	Road Closure	Thames Water Works	From its junction with Warburton Street to its junction with Mentmore Terrace	Via local signage	29-Feb-16	04-Mar-16
P2013	Worship Street EC2A	Road Closure & Introduction of Two way Traffic	UKPN Works	(1). Between points 50 metres and 130 metres south east of its junction with Appold Street (2). From its junction with Appold Street to its junction with Norton Folgate (A10)	Via local signage	05-Mar-16	06-Mar-16

YOU CAN GET MORE INFORMATION AND MAKE COMMENTS ABOUT THIS PROPOSED AND MADE ORDERS BY CONTACTING THE HELPLINE ON 020 8356 2897



Eat Hackney Cookbook features 30 great recipes from restaurants, cafés and community projects in Hackney. Proceeds go to the Hackney Migrant Centre and North London Action for the Homeless, who feed 100 vulnerable people each week in the borough.



Recipes inspired by the Eat Hackney Cookbook  
[www.eathackney.com/cookbook](http://www.eathackney.com/cookbook)



THIS issue's recipe is inspired by the Eat Hackney Cookbook, which features food from around the world. Its sale raises funds for two small local charities which work to feed the homeless and vulnerable: the Hackney Migrant Centre and North London Action for the Homeless. The cookbook costs £5, with all funds going to the charities. For more info on where to buy a copy, visit: [eathackney.com](http://eathackney.com)

Chocolate ganache berry squares

Makes 12 pieces

Preparation time 10 mins  
Cooling time 2-3 hours

Ingredients

- For the squares
- 90g oats
  - 50g mixed nuts, chopped
  - 1/2 cup smooth peanut butter
  - 1/3 cup melted coconut oil
  - 1/3 cup fruit (or golden) syrup
  - 1/3 cup desiccated coconut
  - 1 tsp vanilla extract
  - 1 cup fresh or frozen berries, or any other fresh fruit.

- For the chocolate ganache
- 1/2 cup almond (or soy) milk
  - 2 tbsp fruit (or golden) syrup
  - 200g plain chocolate, broken into pieces.

Method

- Mix the oats, nuts, peanut butter, oil, syrup, coconut and vanilla extract in a bowl,

- then press into a baking tin
- For the ganache, gently heat the almond or soy milk together with the golden syrup, and add the chocolate and stir till smooth
  - Cool slightly before pouring over the pressed base
  - To finish, scatter the berries over the mix and cool the whole thing in the fridge for 2-3 hours.



Growing Communities runs a highly successful fruit and veg scheme, as well as nurturing beautiful growing spaces across the borough. The not-for-profit

project also operates the Stoke Newington Farmer's Market, at St Paul's churchyard, where shoppers buy direct from small producers in and around London.

Views sought to help improve sexual health services

THE London Sexual Health Transformation Programme (LSHTP) has brought together 29 boroughs, including Hackney, to deliver a new joined-up approach for sexual health services across the capital.

It has sent out a short survey to gather information on sexual health services in London that provide contraception as well as tests and treatment for sexually transmitted infections. The LSHTP wants to

know people's views about why they choose certain sexual health services, and their preferences as to how these services are delivered. All responses will be used to consider how best to commission and provide services in the future.

Complete the survey before 14 March, by visiting: [www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/T3QSC9N](http://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/T3QSC9N). All responses will be anonymous without the need to provide names or addresses.



Sexual health services include advice on contraception

Sudoku

For solutions see: [www.hackney.gov.uk/hackneytoday](http://www.hackney.gov.uk/hackneytoday)

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FREE driver CPC training

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TRAFFIC

LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY  
THE HACKNEY (WAITING, LOADING AND STOPPING RESTRICTIONS) (MAP BASED) (CONSOLIDATION) (AMENDMENT NO.\*) ORDER 201\*

THE HACKNEY (PARKING PLACES) (MAP BASED) (CONSOLIDATION) (AMENDMENT NO.\*) ORDER 201\*  
TT1136

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Council of the London Borough of Hackney proposes to make the above-mentioned Orders under the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 as amended.
2. The general effect of the Orders will be to introduce new carriageway secure cycle parking in the following locations;

STREET NAME	LOCATION	REPLACING
ALEXANDRA GROVE	In front of 22 / 24	parking bay
ALLEN ROAD	From border 36 / 38 outside no 38	DYL
ALLEN ROAD	Directly outside no 41	DYL
ALLERTON ROAD	Opposite border 73 / 74 facing 74	DYL
ANTON STREET	To side of 144 Amhurst Rd	DYL
BAYSTON ROAD	From border 62 / 60 outside no 60	DYL
BEATTY ROAD	From border 38 / 40 outside no 40	parking bay
BELGRADE ROAD	From border 73 / 71 outside no 71	parking bay
BOUVERIE ROAD	From border 3 / 5 outside no 3	parking bay
BRODIA ROAD	Opposite 29 / 31 facing the boundary wall 29 / 31	DYL
BROOKE ROAD	From border 65 / 67 outside no 67	DYL
BROOKE ROAD	From border of 63a and B	uncontrolled parking
BROOKE ROAD	Directly outside no 37	parking bay
CLAPTON TERRACE	Opposite no 8 / 9	uncontrolled parking
CLAPTON TERRACE	Opposite no 11 / 12	uncontrolled parking
CLONBROCK ROAD	From border no 2	parking bay
COLENZO ROAD	To side elevation of 160 Millfields Rd	DYL
CRANWICH ROAD	In front of 74 / 72	uncontrolled parking
CRANWICH ROAD	In front of 95 / 97	uncontrolled parking
CRICKETFIELD ROAD	To side elevation of no 83	DYL
DAUBENEY ROAD	To side elevation of no 170	DYL
DAUBENEY ROAD	In front of 24 / 26	uncontrolled parking
DIGBY CRESCENT	To side elevation of no 2	DYL
DIGBY CRESCENT	Opposite 73 / 75 facing 75	DYL
DOWNS RD	In front of 79 / 81	DYL
EVERING ROAD	Opposite border 240 / 242	parking bay
EVERING ROAD	Outside no181	parking bay
EVERING ROAD	Outside no 59	parking bay
FINSBURY PARK ROAD	To side elevation of 16 Finsbury Park Rd	uncontrolled parking
FLOUDEN ROAD	Side of 275 Amhurst Rd	DYL
GLENARM ROAD	From border 44 / 46 outside no 46	parking bay
GLENARM ROAD	To side elevation of 41 Elderfield Rd	DYL
GLOUCESTER DRIVE	From border 28 / 30 outside no 30	parking bay
GLYN ROAD	From border 31 / 33 outside no 33	parking bay
GLYN ROAD	From border 109 / 111 outside no 109	parking bay
GLYN ROAD	In front of no 257 / 259	parking bay
GORE ROAD	In front border of 31 / 32	parking bay
HOLMLEIGH ROAD	From border 168 / 170 outside no 170	uncontrolled parking
HOMER ROAD	To side elevation of no 345a	DYL
ICKBURGH ROAD	From border of 15 / 17 outside no 15	uncontrolled parking

ICKBURGH ROAD	Border of 55 / 57 outside no 57	uncontrolled parking
JENNER ROAD	From border 43 / 41 outside no 41	parking bay
KYVERDALE ROAD	In front of 73 / 75	uncontrolled parking
KYVERDALE ROAD	In front of block no 45 - 49	uncontrolled parking
LAURISTON ROAD	Directly outside no 104	DYL
LAURISTON ROAD	Directly outside no 71	DYL
LESWIN ROAD	From border 16 / 18 outside no 16	parking bay
MAYOLA ROAD	From border 135 / 137 outside no 137	DYL
MEDIAN ROAD	From border 77 / 79 outside no 79	DYL
MILLFIELDS ROAD	From border 8 / 10 outside no 8	DYL
MOUNTGROVE ROAD	From border 44 / 46 outside no 46	parking bay
NEVILL ROAD	Opposite border 37 / 39	DYL
NEVILL ROAD	From border 86 / 88 outside no 88	parking bay
OSTERLY ROAD	From border no 2	DYL
PAINSTHORPE ROAD	From border 77 / 79 outside no 79	parking bay
PAINSTHORPE ROAD	Directly outside no 1	DYL
PORTLAND RISE	Opposite entrance to Ursula Mews	parking bay
PORTLAND RISE	From border 37 / 39 outside no 37	parking bay
POWELL ROAD	From border of 14 / 16 outside no 14	uncontrolled parking
POWERSCOFT ROAD	From border 105 / 107 outside no 107	DYL
POWERSCOFT ROAD	From border 148 / 150 outside no 150	parking bay
QUEENS DRIVE	Opposite border 13 / 15	parking bay
QUEENS DRIVE	Opposite border 63 / 65	parking bay
QUEENS DRIVE	Opposite border 149 / 151	parking bay
REIGHTON ROAD	In front of 1 / 3	uncontrolled parking
REIGHTON ROAD	From Border of 72 / 74 outside no 74	uncontrolled parking
SANDRINGHAM ROAD	In front of 37 / 39	parking bay
SANDRINGHAM ROAD	From border 64 / 62 outside no 64	parking bay
SHAFTON ROAD	To side elevation of no 20	DYL
SOMERFIELD ROAD	From border 20 / 22 outside no 20	parking bay
SUTTON PLACE	From border 18 / 19 outside no 19	DYL
TYSSEN ROAD	From border 19 / 21 outside no 19	parking bay
WALFORD ROAD	Junction of Nevill & Walford Rd	DYL
WILTON WAY	Opposite border 101 / 103 facing no 101	DYL
WINDUS ROAD	To side elevation of 43 / 45	DYL
WINSTON ROAD	From border 69 / 71 outside no 71	DYL

3. Plans of the proposed measures can be inspected during normal office hours on Mondays to Fridays inclusive until a period of 21 days from the date, on which this notice is published, in the reception area, London Borough of Hackney, Keltan House, 89-115 Mare Street, London, E8 4RU. Further information may be obtained at [www.hackneytraffweb.co.uk](http://www.hackneytraffweb.co.uk), or by contacting Helpdesk on 020 8356 2897.

4. Any objections or other representations about either of the Orders should be sent in writing to the Interim Assistant Director (Parking, Markets & Streetscene) at the address specified in paragraph 3 above until the expiration of a period of 21 days from the date on which this Notice is published. All objections must specify the grounds on which they are made.

LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY

THE HACKNEY (WAITING, LOADING AND STOPPING RESTRICTIONS) (MAP BASED) (CONSOLIDATION) (AMENDMENT NO.\*) ORDER 201\*

THE HACKNEY (PARKING PLACES) (MAP BASED) (CONSOLIDATION) (AMENDMENT NO.\*) ORDER 201\*  
TT1135

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Council of the London Borough of Hackney proposes to make the above-mentioned Orders under the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 as amended.
2. The general effect of the Orders will be to;
- a) Malpas Road – Implement a disabled bay at the side of 46 Malpas Road replacing a section of estate permit bay.
- b) Frampton Park Road Estate – Implement estate permit bays and additional disabled bays outside and opposite Clayton House, The Nursery, Bridgeman House and Tradescant House.
- c) Howard Road – Remove a 3 metre section of resident bay opposite no. 50 Howard Road to be replaced with double yellow lines.
- d) Garden Walk – Remove a 1.5 metre section of motorcycle bay outside 5-7 Garden Walk and replace with double yellow lines. Implement a 5 metre motorcycle bay outside 20-21 Garden Walk replacing a section of double yellow lines.
- e) Implement a disabled bay outside: 4 St Kildas Road, 115 Kyverdale Road, 22 Celandine Drive replacing a section of resident permit bay, outside 221 Amhurst Road replacing a section of resident permit bay, 48-52 Christie Road replacing a

section of permit bay, outside 73-84 Webb Estate replacing a section of estate permit bay, outside 40 Forest Road replacing a section of resident permit bay and opposite 75 Pownall Road replacing a section of resident permit bay.

- f) Remove disabled bays at the following locations:
- i. Southern bay outside 45 Ardleigh Road
- ii. 56 Portland Avenue
- iii. 2 Queen Anne Road
- iv. 79 Graham Road
- v. 19 Stellman Close
- vi. 84 Eleanor Road
- vii. 20 Listria Park
- viii. 13 Leabourne Road
- ix. 57 Malvern Road

Amend the traffic management order to include the disabled bay at Kemey's Street.

3. Plans of the proposed measures can be inspected during normal office hours on Mondays to Fridays inclusive until a period of 21 days from the date, on which this notice is published, in the reception area, London Borough of Hackney, Keltan House, 89-115 Mare Street, London, E8 4RU. Further information may be obtained at [www.hackneytraffweb.co.uk](http://www.hackneytraffweb.co.uk), or by contacting Helpdesk on 020 8356 2897.

4. Any objections or other representations about either of the Orders should be sent in writing to the Interim Assistant Director (Parking, Markets and Streetscene) at the address specified in paragraph 3 above until the expiration of a period of 21 days from the date on which this Notice is published. All objections must specify the grounds on which they are made.



LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY

ROAD HUMPS - HIGHWAYS ACT 1980 - SECTION 90C

ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT SECTION 23

PEDESTRIAN CROSSING

CYCLE SUPER HIGHWAY 1

TT1126

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the London Borough of Hackney, in accordance with the Section 90C of the Highway Act 1980 as amended proposes to introduce raised entry treatments, as detailed in the schedule 1a, sinusoidal road humps, as detailed in schedule 1b, speed cushions, as detailed in schedule 1c of this notice, and raised tables as detailed in schedule 1d of this notice.

2. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the London Borough of Hackney, in accordance with Section 23 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 as amended, and all other enabling powers proposes to remove, relocate and reposition zebra and pelican crossings as detailed in the schedule 2 to this notice.

3. Plans of the proposed measures can be inspected during normal office hours on Mondays to Fridays inclusive until a period of 21 days from the date, on which this notice is published, in the reception area, London Borough of Hackney, Keltan House, 89-115 Mare Street, London, E8 4RU. Further information may be obtained by contacting Helpdesk on 020 8356 2897.

4. Any objections or other representations should be sent in writing to the Interim Assistant Director (Parking, Markets and Streetscene) at the address specified in paragraph 3 above until the expiration of a period of 21 days from the date on which this Notice is published. All objections must specify the grounds on which they are made.

SCHEDULE 1A

ENTRY TREATMENT: SCHEDULE

Note: The carriageway will be raised to form a shared surface. The ramp gradients will be between 1:10 and 1:15 and the maximum height of the entry treatment will be 100mm.

Ardleigh Road	From its junction with Culford Road for a distance of 17.5m westwards
Belgrade Road	From the junction with Wordsworth Road for a distance of 7m eastward
Bowling Green Walk	From the junction with Pitfield Street for a distance of 6m eastwards
Brighton Road	From the junction with Nevill Road for 6m eastward
Chart Street	From the junction with Pitfield Street for a distance of 9m westwards
Cranwich Road	From the junction with Dunsmore Road for a distance of 9m northwards
Culford Road	i) From its junction with Englefield Road for a distance of 11 m southwards ii) From its junction with Englefield Road for a distance of 21 m northwards
Englefield Road	From a point 11 m west to a point 7 m east of the junction with Culford Road
Heathland Road	From the junction with Manor Road for a distance of 18m northwards From the junction with Fairholt Road for a distance of 10m southwards
Homedale Terrace	From the junction with Amhurst Park for a distance of 8m northwards
Orsman Road	From its junction with Whitmore Road for a distance of 7m eastwards
Prince George Road	From the junction with Wordsworth Road for a distance of 7m eastward
Princess May Road	From the junction with Wordsworth Road for a distance of 7m eastward
Purcell Street	From its junction with Pitfield Street for a distance of 6m eastwards
Tabernacle Street	From its junction with Paul Street for a distance of 18.5m westwards
Walford Road	From its junction with Nevill Road for a distance of 7m eastward

West Bank	From the junction with Dunsmore Road for a distance of 11m northwards
Wordsworth Road	From the junction with Boleyn Road for a distance of 8m north eastwards

SCHEDULE 1B

SINUSOIDAL ROAD HUMP: SCHEDULE

Note: The carriageway will be raised and the maximum height of the road hump will be 75mm.

Bouverie Road	Replace speed cushions with sinusoidal hump i) 1 m north of common boundary of 96/98 B ii) 4 m south of common boundary of 101/103. Replace speed cushions with sinusoidal hump iii) 4 m south of common boundary of 59/61 iv) 3 m north of the common boundary of 23/25 v) 5 m south of the north building line of number 1
Culford Road	Replace round top humps with sinusoidal humps i) From a point in line with the common wall boundary of 115/117 ii) From a point 1 m south from the common boundary of 133/135 iii) From a point 5m north from the southern boundary of 167 iv) From 4m south of the common boundary of 118/120
De Beauvoir Road	Replace Speed cushions with Sinusoidal humps i) 1m north from the common boundary of 53/55 ii) 11.5m from boundary of the rear of 21 Northchurch Terrace iii) 8m south from the northern boundary of 19 iv) 3m north from the southern boundary of 1 to 90 Rozel Court v) from the common boundary 2a/4
Defoe Road	Replace round top humps with sinusoidal humps i) 3m north of southern boundary wall of 1-15 Flanders House, Defoe Road ii) 6m north of the common boundary of 18/19 iii) 5m north of southern boundary wall of 52
Heathland Road	Replace round top humps with sinusoidal humps i) 5m north of Heathland Road ii) 6m north of the common boundary of 45/47 Grangecourt Road iii) 3m south of the common boundary the common boundary of 25/27 Heathland Road iv) 1m south of the common boundary of 7/9 Heathland Road
Nevill RoadW	Replace round top humps with sinusoidal humps i) 5m north of Grangecourt Road ii) 6m north of the common boundary of 45/47 Grangecourt Road iii) 3m south of the common boundary the common boundary of 25/27 Heathland Road iv) 1m south of the common boundary of 5/7 Heathland Road iv) 11m north of southern boundary wall of 49 Barbauld Road

Nevill Road continued	v) 11m north of the junction with Barbauld Road vi) 2m south of the common boundary of 65/67 Nevill Road vii) 3m south of the common boundary of 41/43 Nevill Road viii) 3m north of the common boundary of 29/31 Nevill Road ix) 5m south of the common boundary of 15/17 Nevill Road x) From the common boundary of 6/8 Nevill Road
Pitfield Street	Replace round top humps with sinusoidal humps i) 3m north from the entrance to Clinger court ii) 23m south from the junction with Grange Street iii) 14m north from the southern boundary of 1 to 25 Hemsworth court iv) 17m south from the junction with Hemsworth Street v) 5m south from the junction with Purcell Street vi) 2m south from the northern boundary of 1 to 15 Arden House
West Bank	Replace round top humps with sinusoidal humps i) 5m north of the common boundary of 1a/1c West Bank ii) 4m south of the common boundary of 7/8 West Bank iii) 6m north of the common boundary of 18/19 West Bank iv) 2m south of the common boundary of 25/26 West Bank v) 2m north of the common boundary of 35/36 West Bank vi) south from the common boundary of 41/42 West Bank
Whitmore Road	Replace Speed cushions with Sinusoidal humps i) 15m south from the northern boundary of 1 to 16 Cavell House ii) 1.5m south from the common boundary of 34/36 Montague House iii) 1.5m south from common boundary 12/14 Exeter House
Wordsworth Road	Replace round top humps with sinusoidal humps i) north from the common boundary of 97/95 Nevill Road ii) south from the southern building line of the Baptist Chapel iii) 3m south of the common boundary of 1-2 Stapleton Villas iv) 3m north of the southern building line of Belgrade House v) From 1m south of the northern building line of 1 Cressington Close

SCHEDULE 1C

HUMP AND SPEED CUSHION REMOVAL: SCHEDULE

Bouverie Road	Remove cushions from outside 130 Bouverie Road
Paul Street	Remove hump outside 80
Pitfield Street	Remove humps from outside Aske Gardens and also outside numbers 43, 57 and 172
Defoe Road	Remove round top hump outside 1a – 3 Remove hump from outside 3
West Bank	Remove round top hump outside 47 West Bank
Wordsworth Road	Remove humps from outside rear of 2 Matthias Road
Englefield Road	Remove cushions from outside 37
Belgrade Road	Remove cushions from outside 98
Princess May Road	Remove cushions from outside 87

Heathland Road	R remove hump outside 1-16 Millcourt
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SCHEDULE 1D

RAISED TABLE: SCHEDULE

Note: The carriageway will be raised to form a shared surface. The ramp gradients will be between 1:10 and 1:15 and the maximum height of the speed table will be 100mm.

Ashford Street	From its junction with Pitfield Street for a distance of 4m eastwards
Bevenden Street	From its junction with New North Road for a distance of 15m south westwards
Boleyn Road	From a point 5m northwest to a point 14m southeast of the junction with Wordsworth Road
Charles Square	From its junction with Pitfield Street for a distance of 6m westwards
Coronet Street	From its junction with Pitfield Street for a distance of 6m eastwards
Culford Road	Replace round top hump with raised table from a point 1 m north of the common boundary 147/149 northwards for a distance of 11m
De Beauvoir Road	From a point 11m south of the junction of Northchuch Terrace to a point 11m north of the junction of Northchurch Terrace east
Dysart Street	From its junction with Wilson Street for a distance of 5.5m eastwards
Fairholt Road	From a point 5m east to a point 5m west of the junction with Heathland Road
Fanshaw Street	From its junction with Pitfield Street for a distance of 7m eastwards
Haberdasher Street	From its junction with Pitfield Street for a distance of 19m westwards
New North Road	From its junction with Pitfield Street for a distance of 9m westwards
Northchurch Terrace	i. From its junction with De Beauvoir Road for a distance of 4m eastwards ii. From its junction with De Beauvoir Road for a distance of 6m westwards
Paul Street	From its junction with Worship Street for a distance of 13m northwards
Paul Street	From a point 7m north of the common boundary of 80/86 to 90 Paul Street to its junction with Tabernacle Street
Pitfield Street	From a point 8.5m south of the junction with Coronet Street to a point 7m north of the junction with Coronet Street
Pitfield Street	From a point 3.5m north of the junction with Ashford Street to a point 8m south of the junction with Ashford Street
Tabernacle Street	From a point 4m south of the northern building line 69-85 Tabernacle Street to its junction with Paul Street replacing existing hump
Wilson Street	From a point 10m south of the junction with Dysart Street to a point 3m north of the junction with Dysart Street
Worship Street	From a distance 11m east of the junction of Paul Street to a point 6m west of the junction with Paul Street

SCHEDULE 2

PEDESTRIAN CROSSING: SCHEDULE

Pitfield Street	Remove existing Pedestrian crossing outside 73/79  Install new pedestrian crossing at the Northern side of junction with New North Road with an overall length of 39m  Remove existing pedestrian crossing outside 51 and Install new pedestrian crossing outside 51 with an overall length of 23m
New North Road	Remove existing pedestrian crossing outside St Leonard's Court
Boleyn Road	Remove existing pedestrian crossing outside 186 and Install new pedestrian crossing at the south eastern side of the iunction with Wordsworh Road with an overall length of 43m



LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY

THE HACKNEY (WAITING, LOADING AND STOPPING RESTRICTIONS) (MAP BASED) (CONSOLIDATION) (AMENDMENT NO.\*) ORDER 201\*

THE HACKNEY (PARKING PLACES) (MAP BASED) (CONSOLIDATION) (AMENDMENT NO.\*) ORDER 201\*

THE HACKNEY (PRESCRIBED ROUTES AND 20 MPH SPEED LIMIT)

(AMENDMENT NO.\*) ORDER 201\*

TT1126

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Council of the London Borough of Hackney proposes to make the above-mentioned Orders under the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 as amended.

2. The general effect of the Orders will be;

Waiting and Loading and Parking Places

a) Boot Street – remove permit parking bay on south side adjacent to Pitfield Street and replace with double yellow lines

b) Coronet Street – insert permit bay on the north side replacing existing double yellow lines

c) Pitfield Street –

i. remove permit bay on the east side north of Coronet Street replacing with double yellow lines

ii. replace with Introduce inset permit bay on east side opposite 33-551 Buckland Street

iii. reduce the length of permit bay on the east side outside 142-160 Pitfield Street and replace with double yellow lines

iv. remove permit bay on the west side south of Buckland Court and replace with Cycle Hire parking

v. remove double yellow lines on the east side north of Purcell Street and insert permit bay

vi. remove permit bay on the west side outside Buckland Court and replace with double yellow lines

vii. reduce the length of permit bay by 38m and replace with double yellow lines outside 1-25 Hemsworth Court

viii. remove all loading and shared use bays and electric vehicle bays between the junction with Fanshaw Street and the junction with Ashford Street replacing with double yellow lines

ix. extend existing cycle hire opposite No 172 Pitfield Street replacing existing permit parking bay

x. Extend no waiting at any time restrictions across Pitfield Street along the southern kerbline of Boot Street/Charles Square

d) Chart Street – insert loading bay on the south side replacing double yellow lines and single yellow lines

e) New North Road –

i. introduce shared use bay on the north side opposite 1-40 Leonard Court

ii. introduce new shared use bay on the south side outside 1-40 Leonard Court

iii. introduce new 15m electric vehicle bays on north eastern side of New North Road replacing existing zig zag lines

iv. Mintern Street – extend the permit bay on the south side outside 52/113 Buckland Court

f) Whitmore Road – introduce carriageway cycle parking on the east side north of Orsman Street and remove existing double yellow lines

g) De Beauvoir Road-

i. Reduce resident bay on the west side outside Portfleet Place and replace with double yellow lines

ii. Relocate disabled bay and ambulance bay and replace with double yellow lines

iii. Amend the location of the permit parking on the western side opposite No 11 – 90 Lancrasse Court whilst amending associated double yellow lines

h) Culford Road –

i. Extend resident bay on west side outside 135/139 Culford Road

ii. Extend permit bay on the east side adjacent to 45 Buckingham Road

iii. Change single yellow to double yellow lines on the eastern side between Tottenham Road and Buckingham Road

i) Defoe Road – change single yellow lines to double yellow lines between House and Selkirk House

j) Hyde Road –

i. introduce additional permit parking bays on the northern side opposite the Britannia Leisure Centre replacing double yellow lines

ii. Introduce additional permit parking bays on the southern side outside the Britannia Leisure Centre replacing existing double yellow lines

k) Wordsworth Road –

i. reduce shared use bays just north of Barrett's Grove and

replace with double yellow lines

ii. reduce shared use bay on eastern side of just south of Barrett's Grove and replace with double yellow lines

iii. reduce double yellow lines on the northern side of Matthias Rd outside 8-18 Matthias Rd.

iv. reduce shared use bay on northern side of Matthias Rd outside 8-18 Matthias Rd and relocate whole bay 3m northwest.

v introduce 6m of no waiting at any time restrictions on the eastern side from a point 4m north of the southern property boundary of 2 Pellerin Road

vi Introduce 10m of no waiting at any time restrictions from the southern kerb line of Pellerin Road to the existing resident bay

l) Haberdasher Street - No waiting at any time restrictions (DYL) where Beveden Street now joins New North Road

m) Beveden Street - Rearrangement of DYL where Beveden Street now joins New North Road

Moving Traffic

a) Earl Street – introduce contraflow cycle lane between Wilson Street and Appold Street

b) Tabernacle Street – Contraflow cycle lane between Great Eastern Street and Paul Street

c) Pitfield Street – Prohibit motor vehicle (except for emergency service vehicles) between the junction with Boot Street and the junction with Old Street

d) Pitfield Street – revert one way to two way between the junctions with Boot Street and Fanshaw Street

3. Plans of the proposed measures can be inspected during normal office hours on Mondays to Fridays inclusive until a period of 21 days from the date, on which this notice is published, in the reception area, London Borough of Hackney, Keltan House, 89-115 Mare Street, London, E8 4RU. Further information may be obtained at [www.hackneytraffweb.co.uk](http://www.hackneytraffweb.co.uk), or by contacting Helpdesk on 020 8356 2897.

4. Any objections or other representations about either of the Orders should be sent in writing to the Interim Assistant Director (Parking, Markets and Streetscene) at the address specified in paragraph 3 above until the expiration of a period of 21 days from the date on which this Notice is published. All objections must specify the grounds on which they are made.

LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY

ROAD HUMPS - HIGHWAYS ACT 1980 - SECTION 90C TT1127

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the London Borough of Hackney, in accordance with the Section 90C of the Highway Act 1980 as amended proposes to introduce raised entry treatments, as detailed in the schedule 1 of this notice.

2. Plans of the proposed measures can be inspected during normal office hours on Mondays to Fridays inclusive until a period of 21 days from the date, on which this notice is published, in the reception area, London Borough of Hackney, Keltan House, 89-115 Mare Street, London, E8 4RU. Further information may be obtained by contacting Helpdesk on 020 8356 2897.

3. Any objections or other representations should be sent in writing to the Interim Assistant Director (Parking, Markets and Streetscene) at the address specified in paragraph 2 above until the expiration of a period of 21 days from the date on which this Notice is published. All objections must specify the grounds on which they are made.

SCHEDULE 1

SPEED HUMPS: SCHEDULE

Note: The carriageway will be raised to install speed humps. The maximum height of the speed hump will be 100mm.

Oldfield Road	Oldfield Road Remove existing cushions outside no 47a, 20-22, 38-40, 62-64,53, 96-98 & 114-116 and replace with new speed humps measuring 3.7m
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LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY

THE HACKNEY (WAITING, LOADING AND STOPPING RESTRICTIONS) (MAP BASED) (CONSOLIDATION) (AMENDMENT NO.24) ORDER 2016

THE HACKNEY (PARKING PLACES) (MAP BASED) (CONSOLIDATION) (AMENDMENT NO.23) ORDER 2016

TT1028, TT1029 AND TT1035

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Council of the London Borough of Hackney did make the above-mentioned Orders on 19th February 2016 under the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 as amended.

2. The general effect of the Orders will be to;

a) Introduce a Car Club bay in Rutland Road adjacent to the junction with Lauriston Road

b) Convert the double yellow line on Queens Drive close to the junction with Seven Sisters Road to an additional car club bay

c) Replace a loading bay with an electric charging bay on the north side of Wilton Way adjacent to Navarino Road

d) introduce cycle hangars in the following locations;

i. Outside No 116 Elderfield Road

ii. Opposite No 94 Oldfield Road

iii. On Peshurst Road approximately 6m west of the junction with Lauriston Road

iv. Outside No 43 Sydner Road

v. Outside No 9 Alexandra Grove

vi. On the south side of Dynevor Road approximately 24m east of the junction with Nevill Road

vii. On the west side of Holly Street approximately 8m north of the junction with Middleton Road

viii. Adjacent to No 143 Clarence Road

ix. Outside No 26 Digby Crescent

x. On the east side of Brodia Road 8m north of the junction with Kynaston Road

3. Copies of the Orders, which will come into force on 22nd February 2016, other relevant Orders, and other documents giving more detailed particulars of the Orders, can be inspected during normal office hours on Mondays to Fridays inclusive, until the expiration of a period of six weeks from the date on which the Orders are made, in the reception area, London Borough of Hackney Keltan House 89 - 115 Mare Street London, E8 4RU. Further information may be obtained by contacting Helpdesk on 020 8356 2897.

4. If any person wishes to question the validity of either of the Orders, or of any provision contained therein on the grounds that it not within the powers conferred by the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 or that any requirement of the Act or of any instrument under the Act has not been complied with, that person may, within six weeks of the date on which the Orders are made, apply for the purpose to the High Court.

LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY

The Hackney (Prescribed Routes and 20mph Speed Limit) (Consolidation) (Amendment No.7) Order 2016 TT1031

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Council of the London Borough of Hackney on 19th February 2016 did make the above-mentioned Order under the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 as amended

The general effect of the Order will be to;

Introduce a Pedestrian Zone in Rivington Street between the junction with Curtain Road and Shoreditch High Street to operate 24 hours per day and 7 days a week. Loading will be permitted between 6am and 6pm with taxis having access at all times.

2. Copies of the Order, which will come into force on 22nd February 2016, other relevant Orders, and other documents giving more detailed particulars of the Orders, can be inspected during normal office hours on Mondays to Fridays inclusive, until the expiration of a period of six weeks from the date on which the Order is made, in the reception area, London Borough of Hackney Keltan House 89 - 115 Mare Street London, E8 4RU. Further information may be obtained by contacting Helpdesk on 020 8356 2897.

3. If any person wishes to question the validity of the Order, or of any provision contained therein on the grounds that it not within the powers conferred by the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 or that any requirement of the Act or of any instrument under the Act has not been complied with, that person may, within six weeks of the date on which the Order is made, apply for the purpose to the High Court.

Unless otherwise stated all traffic notices are as follows: Dated this 22nd February 2016 Seamus Adams, Interim Assistant Director – Parking, Markets and Streetscene (The officer appointed for this purpose)



LICENSING

Notice is given that **Alejandro Alvarado**

has applied to the LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY for

Special Treatments Licence

License for the premises **SANTO CUERVO TATTOO & APPAREL 84 GREEN LANES N16 9AH**

Anyone wishing to oppose the application must give notice, in writing, to the Licensing Service Manager, London Borough of Hackney, 1 Hillman Street, London, E8 1DY, within THREE WEEKS

from the date of publication of this Notice, specifying the grounds for opposition.

Persons objecting to the grant of a licence must be prepared to attend a hearing before a Committee of the Council.

Notice is given that **Mohammed Sobur Ahmed** applied to HACKNEY COUNCIL for a premises licence at: **Lavang Spice of 231 Victoria Park Road, Hackney, London, E9 7HD** In order that the following licensable activities can take place:

The Sale by retail of alcohol from 17:00 to 23:00 Monday to Sunday inclusive.

The licence register listing details of the application is held at the Licensing Service, Hackney Service Centre, 1 Hillman Street, London E8 1DY (Tel No. 020 8356 4970). Details are also available on-line at [www.hackney.gov.uk/licensing](http://www.hackney.gov.uk/licensing)

Any representations against this application must be made in writing and received by the Licensing Service at the above address, by no later than the 15th March 2016

Residents and businesses in the vicinity of the premises, or their representatives, may make representations on licensing objectives grounds only, i.e. the prevention of crime and disorder, the prevention of public nuisance, public safety and the protection of children from harm. Copies of all representations will be sent to the applicant. It is an offence, liable on conviction to a fine up to £5000 for an applicant to knowingly or recklessly make a false statement in connection with the application.

Notice is given that **Zuzie Poskitt** applied to HACKNEY COUNCIL for a premises licence at: **The Bach, 98 Hoxton Street, London N1 6SG** In order that the following licensable activities can take place:

Playing of recorded music

Supply of Alcohol

The licence register listing details of the application is held at the Licensing Service, Hackney Service Centre, 1 Hillman Street, London E8 1DY (Tel No. 020 8356 4970). Details are also available on-line at [www.hackney.gov.uk/licensing](http://www.hackney.gov.uk/licensing)

Any representations against this application must be made in writing and received by the Licensing Service at the above address, by no later than the 15th March 2016

Residents and businesses in the vicinity of the premises, or their representatives, may make representations on licensing objectives grounds only, i.e. the prevention of crime and disorder, the prevention of public nuisance, public safety and the protection of children from harm. Copies of all representations will be sent to the applicant. It is an offence, liable on conviction to a fine up to £5000 for an applicant to knowingly or recklessly make a false statement in connection with the application.

Notice is given that **BAXTER (OPCO) LIMITED** applied to HACKNEY COUNCIL for a premises licence at: **KIP, 2 ASPLAND GROVE, HACKNEY, E8 1FJ**

In order that the following licensable activities can take place: SALE OF ALCOHOL TO BE MADE AVAILABLE FOR GUESTS STAYING IN THE HOTEL PREMISES.

The licence register listing details of the application is held at the Licensing Service, Hackney Service Centre, 1 Hillman Street, London E8 1DY (Tel No. 020 8356 4970). Details are also available on-line at [www.hackney.gov.uk/licensing](http://www.hackney.gov.uk/licensing)

Any representations against this application must be made in writing and received by the Licensing Service at the above address, by no later than the 2nd March 2016

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In the matter of the Solicitors Act 1974 (as amended) and Solicitors (Disciplinary Proceedings) Rules 2007

and

In the matter of Olutobi Fayemiwo (Applicant)

and

Solicitors Regulation Authority (Respondent)

I, **Olutobi Fayemiwo of 129 Hindle House Arcola Street London E8 2DY** was admitted a Solicitor on 1 December 2005

By an order of the Solicitors Disciplinary Tribunal dated 7 March 2012, I was suspended from the Roll for an indefinite period and:

1. I am applying to have my name restored to the Roll.
2. I advertise this application in accordance with the Rules.
3. The Application is to be heard on 30 March 2016 at 3rd Floor, Gate House, 1 Farringdon Street, London ECAM 7LG.
4. Any objections to this application should be served on the Tribunal and the parties to the application no later than 10 days before the hearing date.





PLANNING

EC1

**350 Old Street London EC1V 9NQ** Replacement of windows and door on front elevation at ground floor level 2016/0386 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

**350 Old Street London EC1V 9NQ** Installation of externally illuminated fascia sign and internally illuminated projecting sign on shopfront 2016/0414 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

EC2A

**Technico House Christopher Street London EC2A 2BS** Installation of external mechanical units within the plant enclosure at roof level. 2016/0172 Affects Setting of a Listed Building

**Clifton House 75 Worship Street London EC2A 2DU** Installation of two external condenser units for new air conditioning at fifth floor level, one on Worship Street elevation, one on Holywell Lane elevation. 2016/0247 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

**59 Great Eastern Street London EC2A 3HS** Change of use of second, third and fourth floors from C3 (residential) to B1 (office). 2016/0455 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

**101 Great Eastern Street London EC2A 3JD** Installation of internally illuminated ATM fascia advertisement sign 2016/0374 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

**101 Great Eastern Street London EC2A 3JD** Retention of the ATM cash machine located to the left of the shopfront 2016/0358 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

**Clifton House 75 Worship Street London EC2A 2DU** Installation of two external condenser units for new air conditioning at fifth floor level, one on Worship Street elevation, one on Holywell Lane elevation. 2016/0247 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

**E2**

**5-15 Queensbridge Terrace Queensbridge Road London E2 8NP** Re-roof existing butterfly roofs to houses 5, 9, 11 and 15, re-roof flat roofs to houses 13 & 15 and replace brickwork, re-roof parapets/party walls and chimneys and repairs to elevations. [Listed Building Consent application 2015/3046 also received] 2015/3045 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

**5-15 Queensbridge Terrace Queensbridge Road London E2 8NP** Listed Building Consent: Re-roof existing butterfly roofs to houses 5, 9, 11 and 15, re-roof flat roofs to houses 13 & 15 and replace brickwork, re-roof parapets/party walls and chimneys and repairs to elevations. [Application for planning permission 2015/3045 also received] 2015/3046 Affects Setting of a Listed Building

E5

**130 Lower Clapton Road London E5 0QR** Conversion of existing garage into two storey side extension with pitched roof 2016/0309 Affects Setting of a Listed Building Minor Development

**Former Downsview School, Tiger Way, Downs Road, E5 8QP** Demolition of existing buildings and the construction of a co-located development comprising a new 2 Form Entry primary school and nursery (Class D1) fronting Tiger Way and residential development (Class C3) above fronting Downs Road. The primary school is located on the ground and first floors with 90 residential units above in two pavilions of 11 and 14 storeys. Provision of vehicular and pedestrian access, disabled car parking, mini -bus parking, cycle parking, plant, landscaping, amenity and open space, multi-use games area and ancillary associated development. 2016/0307 Major Development

**165 Brooke Road London E5 8AG** Erection of single storey extension at ground floor level, mansard roof extension at main roof level and erection of extension to the rear two-storey outrigger and associated external alterations. 2016/0348 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

**44 Alconbury Road Hackney London E5 8RH** Erection of side/rear extension of basement/lower ground floor level, introduction of rear dormer and reconfiguration of basement/ lower ground floor level including enlargement of front lightwell. 2015/4630 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

E8

**Top Floor Flat, 47 Graham Road London E8 1DA** Erection of a rear roof dormer; insertion of three rooflights to the front roof slope. 2016/0344 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

**1 Graham Road London E8 1DA** Erection of single storey extension at lower ground floor level on rear elevation

(following demolition of existing structure) and associated works to garden. 2016/0421 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

**74 Eleanor Road (North) London E8 1DN** Erection of mansard roof extension, single storey ground floor rear extension and alterations to existing rear addition. 2016/0312 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

**326 Mare Street London E8 1HA** Erection of dormer roof extension to roof of rear projection; alterations to existing dormer box on rear roof slope. 2015/4446 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

**58 Montague Road London E8 2HW** Variation of Condition 3 (Materials) of planning permission 2014/2034 to allow stretcher brickwork bond. 2016/0259 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

**45 Colvestone Crescent London E8 2LG** Erection of gates, new dwarf wall with railings up to 1.22 metres high. 2015/4633 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

**54 Colvestone Crescent London E8 2LH** Replacement windows to the front and rear elevation at all levels. 2015/3866 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

**9 Elirington Road London E8 3BJ** Basement extension including introduction of front lightwell and modifications to front bay, and alterations to openings to rear elevation. 2016/0269 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

**Holy Trinity Church Beechwood Road London E8 3DY** Conversion of part of first floor from B1 Use (Office) Use to D1 Use (nursery) ancillary to existing nursery 2015/4365 Affects Setting of a Listed Building

**Flat 32, 2 Lansdowne Drive London E8 3EZ** Internal alterations including provision of habitable loft rooms, enlargement of mezzanine level and creation /replacement of internal staircase. External alterations to include the provision of rooflights at main roof level. 2016/0375 Listed Building

**79 Lenthall Road London E8 3JN** Demolition of existing closet wing and rear extensions, erection of a part single, part two storey rear extension, and erection of a rear roof extension. 2016/0217 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area and Affects Setting of a Listed Building

**49 Lavender Grove London E8 3LR** Demolition of existing single storey extension and erection of single storey extension on rear elevation at ground floor level; enlargement of existing basement with excavation of front garden to provide light well. 2016/0392 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

**3 Malvern Road London E8 3LT** Erection of single storey rear ground floor extension. 2016/0190 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

**258 Kingsland Road London E8 4DG** Variation of conditions 1 (hours of opening ) and 2 (temporary use) of planning permission 2015/1169 dated 15/06/2015 to allow continued temporary use of part of the ground floor as Café (Use class A3) with extended opening hours from Monday to Thursday 08:00-22:00, Friday and Saturday 09:00-23:00 and Sunday 09:00-22:00 to Monday to Thursday 08:00-23:00 pm, Friday 08:00-23:59, Saturday 09:00-23:59 and Sunday 09:00-23:00 pm. And to extend the temporary period to 31/08/2018 2016/0361 Major Development

**160 Middleton Road London E8 4LP** Roof extension to rear. 2016/0189 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

**Rear of 72-74 Albion Drive London E8 4LY** Demolition and replacement of existing single-storey structure at the rear of the building and replacement with a new single-storey ground floor extension in order to provide a self-contained flat 2016/0397 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

**89 Ridley Road London E8 2NH** Erection of a four storey side extension at ground to third floor levels and roof extension to existing building to provide a mixed use scheme comprising A1 (retail), B1 (office), D1 (community centre) floorspace and 13No. self-contained residential units 2015/4205 Affects the setting of conservation area.

**E9**

**Brookfield Road London E9 5AH** Erection of dormer on rear roof slope and installation of front skylights on front roof slope. 2016/0311 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

**40 C Terrace Road Hackney London E9 7ES** Variation of condition 2 (Approved drawings) of planning permission 2013/4033 dated 26/01/2014. Effect of changes would be to reduce the size and change the position of high level windows on south facade, rooflights enlarged, with top rooflight omitted, pivoting door in rear courtyard enlarged, windows omitted from north facade, chimney omitted. 2016/0220 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

**27 Terrace Road London E9 7ES** Erection of single storey rear infill extension at ground floor level. 2016/0164 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

**52 Gore Road London E9 7HN** Conversion of property into 3 x 1-bed flats. 2016/0205 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

**8 Rutland Road London E9 7JU** Installation of 2 x rooflights to the rear roof slope. 2016/0213 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

N1

**41 Buckingham Road Hackney London N1 4HY** Erection of single storey rear ground floor extensions. 2016/0341 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

**Howl at the Moon 178 Hoxton Street London N1 5LH** Single storey roof extension and internal refurbishment at second floor level to accommodate 1 additional 2 bed residential unit and an extended existing 1 bed residential unit. 2015/4581 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

**13 Stanway Street London N1 6RQ** Demolition of existing mansard roof and erection of an additional floor above 2nd floor level to form 1x2 bed flat (use class C3) and reconfigure 2nd floor layout 2016/0370 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area and Affects Setting of a Listed Building

**New Regent's College Upper School, Nile Street London N1 7RD** Demolition of existing buildings and the construction of a co-located development comprising a new school, New Regent's College (Class D1) and residential development (Class C3) above. The school is located at ground and first floor, together with two ground floor commercial units (flexible Class D1, B1, A1 and/or A3 use). Provision of 175 residential units on the upper floors of the buildings ranging in height from 6 and 7 storeys fronting Nile Street and a tower fronting Jasper Walk of 26 and 28 storeys. Provision of vehicle and pedestrian access, basement disabled car parking, motor cycle and cycle parking and plant, mini bus parking at the ground floor, landscaping and public realm works, amenity space and open space, multi-use games area and associated ancillary works (accompanied by an Environmental Statement). 2016/0300 Major Development - THIS APPLICATION IS ACCOMPANIED BY AN ENVIRONMENTAL STATEMENT FOR THE PURPOSES OF ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT.

**186a Southgate Road, N1 3HU** Erection of a single storey ground floor rear extension (in relation to planning application reference 2015/3054 and planning appeal reference APP/ U5360/W/15/3140087)

N16

Stoke Newington Town Hall Stoke Newington Church

**Street London N16 0JR** Proposed rooftop safe access systems to roof areas which are being overlaid as part of refurbishment works to the Town Hall. The safe access systems cover: Provision of two ladders (R14A & R14B); Fall arrest system to four roof areas (R10A, R10B, R14A, & R14B); New handrail provision (R05A & R05C); And replacement of the existing handrail (R15), which has deteriorated and is now unstable. 2016/0389 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area Affects Setting of a Listed Building

**36 Oldhill Street London N16 6LB** Erection of a single storey rear extension at ground floor; insertion of front and rear lightwells associated with a basement excavation for additional living space; insertion of a new window to the rear at first floor level to replace existing windows; insertion of two rooflights to the front roof slope. 2016/0339 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

**52 Brooke Road Hackney London N16 7RX** Loft extension including raising of ridge height and introduction of 4No. rear dormers and 4No. roof lights to facilitate introduction of additional residential unit. For the purposes of consultation only: Existing accommodation comprises: 1No. one bed flat, 2No. three bed flats and 1No. four bed flat. Proposed accommodation comprises: 2No. one bed flat, 2No. three bed flats and 1No. four bed flat. 2016/0321 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

**Clissold Park Mansions Stoke Newington Church Street London N16 9HJ** Internal alterations at lower ground floor level - mainly works to three vaults. Application proposes works to make the vaults waterproof (including installation of single ground water sump pump; 8mm cavity drain membrane to full height of perimeter walls and ceilings; 20mm of floor membrane and 65mm of screed floor and supply and secure timber battens and ply sheeting to walls and ceilings). 2016/0334 Listed Building

**2 Newnton Close, London N4 2RQ** Demolition of existing two-storey building and erection of three-storey building (plus basement level below) containing five residential units (one 1-bed, two 2-bed and two 3-bed) with front and rear lightwells, terrace at second floor level and associated works to provide landscaping, refuse and cycle parking 2015/4344 Affects the Setting of a Conservation Area

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